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THE NEIGHBORHOOD STORES

Are Making Their Weekly Offers Today See Page 22.

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\$2200 TAKEN IN HOLDUP OF OFFICE ON S. JEFFERSON

Three Robbers Drive Two Men and Girls Into Rear Room and Compel Manager to Open Safe.

FOURTH MAN WAITS OUTSIDE IN AUTO

Tin Box Containing \$200 in Ice Cream Company Plant Undisturbed by Highway-men.

Three men with revolvers held up the men and two girls in the office of the St. Louis Ice Cream Co., 517 South Jefferson avenue, at 11 a. m. today, and took a sum between \$200 and \$250 from the safe, which they compelled Lester Jablon, secretary of the company, to open.

While a fourth man waited for them outside in an automobile, the three robbers entered, their faces partly covered by handkerchiefs. Two jumped over the railing into the inner office, and ordered its occupants to retreat to the next room, where the safe was. The third man kept guard outside the railing.

The robbers took from the safe two packages of money, containing \$200 in all, and \$1400 or \$1500 more, representing the receipts since Saturday noon. "We need the money," one of the men remarked.

A tin box containing \$200 was left in the safe. After the men ran out, their automobile disappeared, going west on Randolph street. It was described as a seven-passenger car of maroon hue.

BRILLIANT METEORIC DISPLAY VISIBLE HERE LAST NIGHT

Big Shooting Stars in North, South and East Trails Like Those of "Sky Writers."

Persons who "chanced between 7:30 and 8:30 o'clock last night to be in places to observe the sky were attracted by a meteor display of unusual brilliance.

It began with the appearance of a meteor toward the northern horizon, so large as to resemble a toy balloon, and with a luminous green quality. Its glare was like the flare of a rocket.

Shortly afterward another meteor of less brilliance dropped into the western horizon. About 8:15 o'clock, a third appeared, taking a long course from north to south across the eastern horizon, leaving a trail of smoke resembling the wake of an airplane sky writer. This was followed by a fourth, similar to the third, the smoke trail being visible for several seconds.

For two nights past the sky in general has had a particularly brilliant quality, an unusual number of stars being visible.

ANDERSON MUST STAND TRIAL

New York Dry Leader Denied Right to Inspect Jury Minutes.

NEW YORK, Aug. 13.—Judge McIntyre, in General Sessions, today denied an application of William H. Anderson, State superintendent of the Anti-Saloon League, for permission to inspect the minutes of the grand jury which indicted him on charges of grand larceny, forgery and extortion. Inspection was sought as the first step in an effort to obtain dismissal of the indictments. Denial of the motion to inspect means that Anderson must stand trial, which is set for Sept. 4.

COLOR PROBLEM UP IN FRANCE

Demand for Action in Parliament Made by Colored Deputy.

PARIS, Aug. 13.—An alrime is promised for the color problem at the next session of Parliament, demand for an interpretation having been made by Gratier-Candace, a colored Deputy from Guadeloupe. In a letter to Premier Poincare, M. Candace asks him to reply in the Senate with regard to the "incidents" provoked daily in Paris and the provinces by a certain type of foreign tourists and French business men who abuse and molest Frenchmen of the black race solely because of the color of their skin.

\$2000 Bank Robbery in Iowa. ST. JOSEPH, Mo., Aug. 13.—Men who robbed the bank at Redding, Ia., early today obtained \$2000 in cash and \$3000 in Liberty Bonds. They escaped in a motor car.

FAIR TONIGHT AND TOMORROW; TEMPERATURE ABOUT SAME

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BRITAIN WOULD SUBMIT RUHR OCCUPATION ISSUE TO ARBITRATION

REPARATIONS COMMISSION CALLED MERE INSTRUMENT OF FRANCO-BELGIAN POLICY

However, Curzon's Note Leaves It to France to Suggest Method of Selecting Experts to Fix Germany's Capacity to Pay.

LONDON, Aug. 13.—The British Government, in the publication yesterday of its official correspondence with the allies since June, placed on record its position with regard to the German reparations problem. Lord Curzon, Secretary for Foreign Affairs, in a note dealing with all aspects of the problem, sets forth that the British Government regards the occupation of the Ruhr as illegal and unauthorized by the Versailles treaty, thus supporting the German contention in this respect. At the same time, however, he offers to submit the point to arbitration at the Hague or by some other body. While still adhering to a tone of the utmost courtesy and saying nothing definite with regard to separate action on the part of Great Britain, Lord Curzon emphasizes that Great Britain cannot agree with the French policy, which he intimates plainly seems to point to an indefinite occupation of the Ruhr.

Lord Curzon leaves it to the French Government to suggest the method of selecting an international commission to examine into Germany's capacity to pay reparations, but he declares that Great Britain cannot accept the decision of the Reparations Commission on this matter, since that commission has become the mere instrument of Franco-Belgian policy.

Address to Bonar Law Plan.

Finally, Lord Curzon declares that the British Government still adheres to the plan of former Premier Bonar Law, under which Great Britain would be satisfied to obtain from German reparations and allied debts to Great Britain a sum sufficient to meet Great Britain's obligation to the United States.

The note, handed to the French and Belgian Ambassadors Saturday, expresses the sincere disappointment with which the British Government had received the previous communications of France and Belgium, especially since Great Britain had suggested that an inquiry into Germany's capacity to pay should be conducted within the framework of the treaty of Versailles, and that the German Government should be asked to withdraw its orders enjoining passive resistance, on condition that this should be regarded as evidence of good faith involving reconsideration by the occupying powers of their conditions of occupation and a gradual return to normal industrial life in the Ruhr.

Summary of British Viewpoint.

The British note remarks that "it is difficult to think in what way greater consideration should have been shown to the Franco-Belgian point of view. It then, at great length, outlines the British viewpoint, which Lord Curzon summarizes as follows:

"His Majesty's Government never contemplated the possibility of separate action being required in order to hasten a settlement, which cannot much longer be delayed without grave consequences to a recovery to peace and the peace of the world."

Lord Curzon, in the body of his note, which is long and is filled with argument over reparations, and points raised in the reparations negotiations, complains that, notwithstanding the terms of courtesy employed by France and Belgium regarding the recent British suggestions, the reception of these suggestions by those Governments "leaves His Majesty's Government under the painful impression that neither are their suggestions welcome by their allies nor is their offered co-operation held to merit consideration, except on conditions that no departure be made in any one particular from whatever France and Belgium declare to be their overriding views and decision."

Lord Curzon admits that the Belgian reply at first sight appears to be more compromising, but that a closer examination showed both the attitude of Belgium and France, for all practical purposes, identical. Hence, he said, the British Government asked leave to deal with both replies in a single answer.

Special Private Claims Denied.

Much of the note is taken up with arguments against the Franco-Belgian claims of special priority in payments, especially France's claim that she ought to receive 16,000,000,000 marks net and also her debts to Great Britain and the United States canceled. Lord Curzon declares that such a demand is for an amount three or four times larger than would, on balance, fall to France's share under the existing agreement.

"It is difficult to see," said Lord Curzon, "on what grounds a failure by Germany to meet her obligations, by which Great Britain is proportionately indemnified equally with her allies, can be held to justify the claim by France to be placed, at the expense of her allies, in a far more favorable position than she would have occupied under the schedule of payments itself."

Lord Curzon declares his Government cannot admit there is any ground whatever for revising the 80 percentages. In this connection, he points out that the British, along with the allies, is paying interest on debts incurred abroad during the war, representing a capital sum of a thousand million sterling at the present rate of exchange, and that Great Britain alone has been deprived in the allied interest of foreign securities estimated at £1,100,000,000 to £18,000,000, which would otherwise substantially assist in the payment of the British debt to America.

German Contentment Well Founded.

Lord Curzon opposes the Franco-Belgian contention that the Reparations Commission is competent to undertake an investigation of Germany's capacity to pay, taking the ground that, in the absence of an American representative, that France and Belgium would be able to carry out a policy of "divide and conquer" over the heads of the British and Italian representatives.

Regarding the constitution of the proposed expert commission, the note says the British Government would be willing to see upon it nominees from only of the Powers engaged in reparations, but of the United States and of Powers which took no part in the late war, and it would seem desirable of Germany herself. If, however, the French and Belgian would prefer any other form of constitution, the British Government would be happy to consider it.

Declaring that the British Government cannot subscribe to the thesis that passive resistance is a justifiable method of securing reparations, Lord Curzon declares the highest legal authorities in Great Britain have advised the Government that the German contention is well founded; that the Franco-Belgian occupation of the Ruhr is not a sanction, authorized by the treaty itself. But that this, or any other difference respecting the legal interpretation of the vital provisions of the treaty should be automatically referred to the International Court of Justice at the Hague or to other suitable arbitration.

Challenged to Question Legality.

Arguing the illegality of the occupation of the Ruhr, the note says: "If His Majesty's Government hitherto have abstained formally from contesting the legality of the Franco-Belgian occupation, they have done so solely in conformity with the spirit of Mr. Bonar Law's declaration at the Paris conference in January that His Majesty's Government desired to avoid causing any needless embarrassment to their allies."

"This should not be made a reproach to them. His Majesty's Government would not even now have taken up this question of legality had they not been challenged to do so."

The note contends that the treaty only authorizes occupation of the left bank of the Rhine and the bridgeheads and declares that the parallel France seeks to draw with Germany's action in 1917 can hardly be sustained, because the latter action was expressly provided for by the treaty and was a necessary step to the peace of 1917 and no similar action can be cited in the case of the Ruhr.

Furthermore, the note states, the recovery of a comparatively small indemnity after the brief campaign of 1917 is not nearly commensurate with the enforcement of a 12 fold claim against a country financially exhausted by four years of strenuous warfare and blockade.

Complaining that even the British suggestion that the occupation of the Ruhr should terminate on the moment that guarantees or pledges economically harmful and more effectively productive should have been not merely devised and obtained but seen to be satisfactorily operating, have only been met by a definite refusal, the note proceeds:

"Complete evacuation apparently is not contemplated under the total German reparations liability is a legally discharged. Reiterated announcements to this effect coupled with insistence on leaving undiminished the total of 112,000,000,000 marks of German indebtedness, can only be interpreted as an intention to remain in occupation of the Ruhr for a number of years, which at best can not be less than 15—while in view of the generally admitted probability of complete extinction of the schedule being found practicable under any circumstances, may be extended indefinitely, if not in perpetuity."

"Such a situation, of which the political quite apart from the economic consequences could only be described as disastrous, cannot but be viewed by His Majesty's Government with the greatest concern. It would vitally endanger the peace of the world, and the danger of international relations being affected in a manner threatening to use the words of the American Army of Nations—to disturb international peace and the good understanding between nations upon which peace depends. His Majesty's Government cannot believe the French and Belgian Governments will be able to

BRITISH PROPOSAL FOR U. S. AID FIRST URGED BY HUGHES

Suggestion for Participation of America on Expert Commission Outlined by Secretary Last December.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 13.—The British draft reply to Germany on reparations and the covering note dispatched to the allies and America, made public here yesterday, contained little that was not disclosed by Premier Baldwin, Aug. 2, in his address in Parliament.

The text of the covering note reveals, however, that Great Britain suggested directly to her allies that in creating a commission of experts to establish the capacity of Germany to pay, "the co-operation of an American expert" be sought and arrangements also be made for consulting with the Germans themselves.

In proposing American participation in the investigating body, the British Government has followed the outline of the plan suggested first by Secretary Hughes, in his address at New Haven, last December, but neither on that question nor on any other feature of the reparations exchange are officials here willing to comment.

It is pointed out in other quarters that while Mr. Hughes was careful to say at New Haven that the American expert on the proposed commission should not entirely as individuals and "free from any responsibility to foreign office and from any duty to obey political instructions," the British draft reply makes no such stipulation. Instead, it merely describes those who would take part in the inquiry as "competent and impartial experts."

Britain's Proposal for Settlement.

As outlined up in the covering note, the intent of the draft reply set before the world the following plan of settlement as embodying the best program of the British Government.

The German Government to undertake to abandon the policy of passive resistance.

2. Steps to be taken upon the cessation of passive resistance for the resumption of the civil administration of the Ruhr, and for the progressive evacuation of those areas.

3. A body of impartial experts to be set up charged with the duty of advising the allied Governments and the Reparations Commission respectively as to Germany's capacity to pay and as to the mode of payment to be prescribed. The co-operation of an American expert to be sought and arrangements to be made for German experts to be consulted and heard.

The same body or a body similarly constituted to be asked to advise the Reparations Commission as to the economic surties and guarantees of its pledges to abide by the results.

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On Good Terms With Big Business.

The working out of the post-war problems gradually resulted in creating a right and left wing in the party, Stresemann being commonly viewed as the champion of the liberal faction.

When the Weimar Cabinet retired nine months ago, the United Socialists refused to enter the coalition government in which the German People's party was represented. Just what has prompted the Socialists to abandon their prejudice or suspicion of Stresemann's party in the present crisis is not apparent, but the promises with which they consented to enter into a coalition with it suggests to onlookers that the new Chancellor evidently is in full accord with the demands put forward by the United Socialists with respect to the new Government's internal policies.

Dr. Stresemann grew up in an industrial environment and even now he is reported to be on good terms with big business, as represented by Siemens, the Krupp, Thyssen and others.

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The new Chancellor's outstanding political virtue, as his friends see it, is his "pliable adaptability" in meeting political situations, facing him which frequently showed itself in his speeches before the Reichstag.

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Pollack two days later was appointed receiver for Moll's estate on application of Mrs. Ethel Seibert, a legate under the will, in a counter action against the contest suit.

The petition upon which Pollack was appointed receiver, stated that the estate did not comprise sufficient personality to pay the specific bequests of \$20,000, most of the estate being represented by realty holdings.

Wrong Address Given.
The address of William Dwyer, 26 years old, who was arrested Saturday night for carrying concealed weapons when the automobile he was driving crowded another automobile to the curb at Jefferson and Washington avenues, was incorrectly given in the Post-Dispatch yesterday as 2326A Caroline street, which he today gave to the police.

Strike Not Expected.
The commission believes that neither the operators nor the miners will assume the responsibility of a lockout or a strike. We realize that operators and miners are men of action and realize the position they would be in before the public if a suspension of anthracite mines took place. Both sides realize that a suspension of operations in the anthracite mining field would afford an opportunity to the bituminous mines to displace them of a large part of their market for anthracite coal.

Prospective of whether there is a suspension of mining after September 1, the anthracite operators realize that in the future they must meet serious competition with substitutes in their market. Recognition of this fact certainly will be a deterrent to both operators and miners in assuming responsibility for any suspension.

Further the commission has been engaged in preparing for a possible contingency by studying the sources of supply of coke and non-volatile bituminous coal until the commission feels assured that if the

RAILROAD FIREMEN TO MEET TO PLAN FOR PAY INCREASE

General Chairmen to Con-
vene in Chicago Sept. 6—
Switchmen to Call Confer-
ence at Same Time.

By the Associated Press.
CLEVELAND, Aug. 13.—Approximately 350 general chairmen of the Eastern, Western, Southeastern and Canadian associations of General Committees, Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Enginemen, have been called to convene in special session at Chicago Sept. 6 for the purpose of giving consideration to the question of instituting a wage movement, according to the official circular mailed to all members of the associations. D. B. Robertson, president of the brotherhood, announced today.

General chairmen of the Switchmen's Union of North America have been summoned to meet in Chicago the same day to consider wage questions.

Warren S. Stone, president of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, when asked if his general chairmen would join the firemen in a joint request for increased wages, said that the laws of his organization did not call for the convening of general chairmen to institute a wage movement, as did the rules of the other brotherhoods, and that no similar action was contemplated at present.

The amount of pay increase to be asked of the railroads would be determined by the general chairmen, Robertson said.

Wages of firemen were cut approximately 12 1/2 per cent by the United States Railroad Labor Board on July 1, 1921, he said. Whether this would be the amount of the increase he requested, Robertson would not say.

After the general chairmen decide on the amount of the increase to be requested the proposition will be submitted to a referendum vote of the 115,000 members of the firemen's brotherhood. This will take about 30 days. If they approve the proposal it will be submitted by the general chairmen and brotherhood officials to railroads where agreements expire Oct. 31.

With the meeting of firemen and switchmen in Chicago, Sept. 6, all of the transportation brotherhoods, with the exception of the engineers, have inaugurated movements for increased wages.

The trainmen and conductors met here last week in the last of a joint campaign to force the railroads to meet their demands. The action of two previous conferences which requested a restoration of the 8 cents an hour or 64 cents a day wage reduction ordered by the United States Railroad Labor Board on July 1, 1921, in effect since then. The trainmen and conductors also requested an additional increase.

The proposal will be submitted to the membership of the two organizations within a few days.

HARDING PLANNED TO BE EDITOR
WHEN NO LONGER PRESIDENT

Told Friends Offer of \$250,000 Annually from Newspaper Figured in Sale of Marion Star.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 13.—When death overtook him, President Harding, although apparently confident of his re-election, had begun to plan against the time when he should retire.

At a private luncheon in a Western city before he went to Alaska, he told close friends why he disposed of his control of the Marion Star, his newspaper in Ohio.

Those who took part in the conversation, Mr. Harding said that in all probability he would accept an offer of \$250,000 a year made by one of the leading newspapers of the country for editorial contributions.

Thus, he said, he would be able to get his views before the people and assist in solving national and international problems.

He had also received, he added, an offer of \$750 for each speech he might deliver after the expiration of his term as President.

Those two offers led him to feel that he would be able, after leaving the White House, to give little personal attention to the editorial management of the Star. He said also that he had sold the Star "because he could afford to reject the offer" made to him, explaining that he was to receive for the property in the neighborhood of \$500,000. While the paper had been earning about \$30,000 a year, Mr. Harding said it was not probable that he would receive another such advantageous offer.

880 VACCINATED LAST WEEK
Most of Those Inoculated Against Smallpox Were Negroes.
Health department physicians at Union Station vaccinated 880 persons coming in from the South last week to make St. Louis their permanent home. This was the highest number examined totaling \$71, of whom 624 were found to be unvaccinated. The figures for white persons were 412 examined and 244 later vaccinated.

CITY MUST SPEND \$200,000 ON BUILDING USED BY U. S.

Unliff Says That Much Will Be Required to Fix Up Wing of Sanitarium.

Rental collected by the city from the Government for use of a wing of the city sanitarium, 5300 Arsenal street, in which disabled veterans were quartered, will not be all gain, Director of Public Welfare Cunniff announced today with the report that \$200,000 must be spent to repair the building for use by the city.

The Government patients have been moved to the new hospital near Jefferson Barracks. Wednesday, Cunniff plans to take 347 municipal charges from the old Christian Brothers' College buildings, and 252 from city hospitals to the sanitarium and lodge them in the vacated quarters.

Cunniff estimates the city already has spent \$15,000 in restoring the plumbing. He says he has tried to get the Government to pay for the damages, but has been unsuccessful.

When the Government took over the buildings on Nov. 15, 1918, it paid the city \$65,000 for three months' rent and the inconvenience of the cost of the great amount of the buildings at King's highway and Easton avenue. After the three months, \$1650 a month was paid to the city until July 1, 1921, when the rent was increased to \$4168.66 a month. This rate held until April 1 of this year, when the Government surrendered all but the wing used as an isolation ward. The Government paid \$

MINERS HELD IN VIRTUAL ISOLATION, REPORT CHARGES

Volunteer Committee Cites
Leases Which It Alleges
Coal Companies Compel
Workers to Accept.

EVEN VISITORS TO
HOMES RESTRICTED

Common Practice for Mining
Concerns to Pay, Arm and
Use Deputies as Guards,
It Is Stated.

By the Associated Press.
WASHINGTON, Aug. 11.—
Charges that employees of many
commercial mining companies in
Pennsylvania, West Virginia and
Alabama are held in a state of vir-
tual isolation in the towns where
they reside were made yesterday in
a report addressed to the United
States Coal Commission by a volun-
teer committee of educators and
clergymen.

The payment of deputy sheriffs
by coal companies was attacked and
the commission was asked to con-
sider whether this practice did not
constitute a threat against the im-
partial application of the law and
the maintenance of civil rights.

Must Live in Company Houses.
The authors of the report, who
describe themselves as the Commit-
tee of Inquiry on Coal and Civil
Liberties, are: Zechariah Chafee
Jr., professor of law at Harvard Uni-
versity; Prof. Herbert A. Miller of
Oberlin College; the Rev. John A.
Ryan of the National Catholic Wel-
fare Council; the Rev. Arthur E.
Hollen, social service secretary of
the Congressional Church in Bos-
ton; and Kate Halliday Chaborn of
the Department of Social Re-
search of the New York School of
Social Work.

Winthrop D. Lane
had charge of the committee's in-
vestigations, being assisted by Jer-
ome Davis, assistant professor of
sociology, Dartmouth College.

A typical lease, says the commit-
tee, is that used by the H. C. Frick
Coal Co. in its operations at Fair-
Chance, Pa., and Mammoth, Pa.

The lease states that the "rights to
the premises shall be only the right
of ingress and egress to the lessee."

The report said that the families
of miners must live in houses on
company property and that before
they could have such houses they
must sign leases.

The report submitted alleged cop-
ies of these leases. Some of them
forbade miners to receive in their
house any persons objectionable to
the coal company. They further re-
stricted the use of roads, alleys, lanes

PEACEMAKER SHOT IN BACK DURING QUARREL ON ISLAND

Wounded Man and Companion Had
Previously Said Injury Was
Accidental.

Paul Smith, 23 years old of 2217
Osage street, arrested Saturday
night when he accompanied Louis
Haberger, 42, 2813 Texas avenue,
suffering from a serious gunshot
wound in the back, to the Alstair
Brothers Hospital for treatment,
yesterday admitted that the shoot-
ing was not accidental, as both men
had maintained, but had occurred
when Haberger tried to play peace-
maker in a quarrel with residents of
Arsenal Island, in the Mississippi
River opposite the workhouse.

Friends of Haberger, Smith said,
in an evening club, had quarreled
with the family of Frank Genter,
and a law suit had resulted. Satur-
day evening he went to the island
with Haberger, who said he was
going to make peace. Haberger en-
tered the Genter home. Two shots
were fired. Haberger ran out
wounded.

Haberger, when Smith told his
first story had nodded and said that
was how it happened. When police
at the City Hospital, where he was
held a prisoner, told him the re-
mediated account, he said a woman
shot him. Smith was released.

Car of Mail on Train Burned.

Social to the Post-Dispatch.
GARDEN CITY, Kan., Aug. 11.—
A Santa Fe passenger train caught
fire yesterday as it neared Pierce-
ville, near here. A storage car of
California mail was ignited and de-
stroyed after being pulled into a sid-
ing. Another mail car and a bag-
gage car caught fire, but the blaze
was extinguished. The train was
delayed an hour and a half.

and other ways leading to the homes
to the miner and members of his
immediate family.

Allow Three Kinds of Visitation.
One company, W. J. Rainey, Inc.,
operating in Fayette County, Pa.,
the report said, allows the miner
three kinds of visitors—doctor, mov-
ing wagon man and undertaker—and
the lessee agrees not to use, nor to
permit the use of the lands, ways,
roads or alleys of the premises by
any other person.

"These towns," said the commit-
tee, "are the continuous residence
places of scores of thousands, if not
hundreds of thousands, of people.
They stand to them for homes and
for whatever degree of community
life and existence these people pos-
sess. It is this fact that gives to the
control exercised by the coal com-
pany and to the leases, which we
submit, their peculiar significance."

It is over the continuous home and
social life of miners and their families
that these leases cast a shadow of
supervision and even censorship."

It is a common practice, according
to the committee, for coal companies
in many parts of the United States
to pay, arm and employ large num-
bers of deputy sheriffs. A former
deputy sheriff of Jefferson County,
Mo., J. C. Harfield, declared in an
affidavit, said the report, that in one
month he commissioned 741 deputy
sheriffs who were paid by coal com-
panies, armed at their expense and
used by them as private guards. Of
these, 487 were employed by the
Tennessee Coal, Iron and Railroad
Co.

FIVE TRAINMEN KILLED IN COLORADO COLLISION

Train, Detouring Because of
Washouts, Meets Another
Head-on.

By the Associated Press.
PUEBLO, Colo., Aug. 11.—Five
railroad trainmen were killed and
four trainmen and five passengers
were injured in a head-on collision
between a Colorado & Southern pas-
senger train from Pueblo and a San-
segoer train from Pueblo and the East
la Fe through train from the East
at the west switch in Fowler, Colo.,
at 4:30 o'clock this morning. The
Colorado & Southern was detouring
over the Santa Fe tracks via La
Junta because of washouts at Wal-
denburg on the Colorado & Southern
tracks.

Three locomotives were destroyed.
One baggage car was destroyed and
another one derailed. No passenger
coaches were derailed. Fowler is
about 19 miles east of Pueblo.

**TWO STORMS IN AS MANY
DAYS KILL FIVE IN CHICAGO**

Traffic Stopped By High Winds in
Loop District—Firemen Pump
Out Many Cellars.

By the Associated Press.
CHICAGO, Aug. 11.—Winds,
which uprooted trees and sent them
crashing on roofs, stopped traffic
and shattered plate-glass windows
in the Loop business section, accom-
panied the electrical storm which
broke over Chicago late Saturday
night and early yesterday, the second
storm in as many days.

Two deaths in yesterday's storm
brought casualties in the two days
to five. Three were killed in the
Saturday morning storm. Fred Hill-
man was electrocuted early yester-
day when he attempted to cut a
high tension wire which had been
blown down during the storm. The
body of John Anderson, 74 years old,
was found beneath a tree which
had been split by a bolt of lightning.

Firemen who toiled hours Satur-
day to pump out basements in all
sections of the city which were
flooded during the first storm last
week, 1.48 inches of rain fell, were
called upon again to fight fires. Re-
scue persons whose homes were
struck by falling trees, and pump
out more basements.

**TWO ST. LOUIS LUMBER FIRMS
FILE SUPPLEMENTAL PLEAS**

Seidel and Wilson-Chapman Com-
panies Cite Hazard to "Innocent
Stockholders."

By the Associated Press.
JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., Aug. 11.—
Another motion, supplemental to
the one filed last week requesting
the Supreme Court to modify its de-
cree of ouster and fines against St.
Louis and St. Louis County lum-
ber companies, charged with price-
fixing and restraint of competition,
was filed with the Supreme Court
today on behalf of the Julius Seidel
Lumber Co., Goodfellow Lumber Co.
and the Wilson-Chapman Lumber Co.
It directs the attention of the court
to the hazard to "innocent stock-
holders," who may suffer pecuniary
loss if the court's decree of uncon-
ditional ouster is allowed to stand.

The motion was filed by former
United States Senator Willey and
former Supreme Court Judge Fred
Williams, who set forth that many
of the stockholders had no part in
the operation of the convicted lum-
ber companies and that a condition
ouster would conserve their inter-
ests. It is further argued in the
motion that the unconditional ouster
of the companies from their
charter rights, if allowed to stand,
would force reorganization and re-
sult in loss of good will already es-
tablished, whereas, if the ouster is
made conditional, this good will
and going value would be preserved
for stockholders innocent of any
wrong doing.

WATCHMAN IS ACCUSED
Charged With Destruction of Prop-
erty at Neighborhood Plant.

Detectives investigating the
smashing of windows in the newly
completed plant of the N. O. Nel-
son Manufacturing Co., at Boyle
avenue and Washburn railroad tracks,
last night arrested Albert Filler, 77
years old, of 4127 Barry avenue, a
watchman in a lumber yard near
the Nelson plant.

In reporting last Friday that un-
identified persons had broken several
windows in the plant Watchman
Filler said that "if there was a
watchman employed there the thing
would not have occurred." The po-
lice asked Filler if he hoped to in-
crease his income by getting the job
of watching the manufacturing
plant as well as the lumber yard.

The man replied that he could eas-
ily hold both jobs. Neighbors were
requested to watch the plant, and
last night, after more windows were
broken there, Filler was arrested on
information given by the neighbors.
He was relieved of his watchman's
badge and held on a charge of de-
struction of property. He denied the
charge.

Silver Leads to Robbery Charge.
By the Associated Press.
OKLAHOMA CITY, Ok., Aug. 11.—
An attempted exchange of several
hundred silver dollars for currency
at a downtown restaurant, looked
suspicious to city detectives, who ar-
rested Edward L. Delane, 21, yester-
day and later recovered \$1823 be-
lieved to be part of the loot taken
from the Bank of Bradley, Grady
County, Oklahoma, Saturday after-
noon. Delane is said to have con-
sented to the robbery. Harley Brown,
taxicab driver, is being held as an
accomplice.

RUMANIA FAILS TO CUT LIVING COST BY GRAIN PRICE FIXING.

High Export Duty Also Proves of
No Avail—Situation Made
Worse.

By the Associated Press.
BUCHAREST, July 31.—Rumania
is facing an exceptional problem in
the high cost of living, which is un-
usual in an agricultural country,
amply capable of supplying its own
people and exporting large amounts
of foodstuffs.

It was hoped to solve this problem
by two legislative measures, one fix-
ing the prices of food products and
the other preventing exports by
means of high export duties.

It now is announced by M. Gar-
rid, former Minister of Agriculture,
that the fixing of prices and the dis-
courage of exports have resulted
in a more serious situation than
before.

Back the price-fixing and the
virtual prohibition of exports of food
supplies needed at home have dis-
couraged production to a notable ex-
tent," says he. "Rumania, formerly
one of the world's wheat markets,
has become a negligible factor in
wheat exportation. Also, the amount
of wheat available for home con-
sumption has been diminished be-
cause the prices fixed in some in-
stances were less than the prices that
would have afforded a reasonable
margin of profit to producers."

Man Killed on Grade Crossing.
By the Associated Press.
TULSA, Ok., Aug. 11.—R. R.
Hahn, accountant for the American
Petroleum Corporation, was instan-
tly killed when the automobile in
which he was riding was struck by a
St. Louis & San Francisco passen-
ger train at a grade crossing five
miles east of here last night. The
machine was demolished.

Busy Bee Tuesday Specials
Busy Bee Lollipops Ever popular with the kiddies,
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sweetness and good-
ness. One dozen
to the box **25c**

Dark Chocolate Cake Three layers of fluffy white
cake, filled and covered with
delectable dark chocolate icing
— truly a treat un-
usual. Tuesday
only **50c**

All-Week Specials
**Cherry and Apricot Moss-
Covered Marshmallow** These bits of goodness are
flavored with cherry
and apricot. The box **20c**

Fig Stollen A rich coffee cake, topped and
filled with luscious
chopped figs. Each **30c**

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dies of Good Taste; they cost
a little more but are a great
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plexion Powder,
slightly recommended,
box, 27c
(Buying limit 3.)</p> <p>Peet Bros.'
Creme Oil Toilet
Soap (the cream of
olive oil soaps),
cake, 6c; dozen, 65c
(Limit 3 dozen.)</p> <p>Palmolive Toilet
Soap, dozen, 77c; cake, 7c
(Limit 1 dozen)</p> <p>Palmolive Liquid
Shampoo, keeps the
hair soft and gloss-
y, bottle, 25c
(Limit 3.)</p> <p>Palmolive Shav-
ing Cream, tube, 21c
(Limit 3.)</p> <p>Palmolive Cleo-
patra Divine Face
Powder, box, 59c
(Limit 3.)</p> <p>Kerkoff's Djer-
Kiss Face Powder,
all shades, box, 32c
(Buying limit 3.)</p> <p>Non-Spl Deodor-
ant, the antiseptic
liquid remedy for
excessive perspira-
tion, bottle, 32c
(Buying limit 3.)</p> <p>Golden Gint
Shampoo or Golden
Gint Tint,
package, 17c
(Buying limit 3.)</p> <p>McKesson and
Robbins' Jada Tal-
cum Powder, de-
lightfully perfumed
talc, box, 18c
(Buying limit 3.)</p> <p>Kirk's Jap Rose
Toilet Soap,
cake, 6c; dozen, 65c
(Limit 1 dozen.)</p> <p>Face Powders
and Cosmetics
(Limit 3 to Customer)
Elicaya Complexion
Powder, 27c
La Blanche Face
Powder, 36c
Java Complexion
Powder, 29c
Pussy Willow Face
Powder, 32c
Djer-Kiss Face
Powder, large, 65c
Elicaya Cold Cream
de Powder, shade
Egyptian, 65c
Bourjois Mandarin
Rouge, 65c
Djer-Kiss Rouge, 65c
Rouge Elicaya, 23c
Prepared Chalk,
white or pink, 8c</p> | <p>Face Creams
and Lotions
(Buying Limit 3)
Madame Berthe's
Emollient Balm, 34c
Ingram's Milkweed
Cream, 24c and 68c
Elicaya Cold Cream
or Witch Hazel Cream,
tubes, 18c
Creme Elicaya, the
atrical size, 69c
Sanitol Face Cream,
jar, 22c
Elicaya Cold Cream,
economy size, jar, 1.19
Sempre Giovine,
(Always Young), 35c
Creme Elicaya, econ-
omy size, jar, 1.69
Nadinola Cream, for
freckles, large size,
jar, 1.19
Angelus Cream,
single strength, 39c
double strength, 69c
McKesson & Robbins
Sunburn Lotion, bot-
tle, 15c
McKesson & Robbins
Almond Lotion, bottle,
32c
Terra Derma Lax
English Beauty Clay,
50c
Kantol Instant Skin
Elixir, new size, 69c
Louray Masque,
1.10</p> <p>Deodorants and
Depilatories
(Limit 3 to Customer)
Immac, a snow-
white deodorant, 17c
Creme Odo-ro-no;
a vanishing cream de-
odorant, 18c
Evans Depilatory, 59c
Oniah Depilatory, 34c</p> <p>Miscellaneous
(Limit 3)
Peroxide of Hydro-
gen, 8 oz. bottle, 8c
Madame Berthe's
Antiseptic and Astrin-
gent, 39c
Lavoris Antiseptic,
small size, 18c
Glyco-Thymoline;
small, 16c; medium,
33c</p> <p>Toilet Soaps
(Buying Limit 3)
Societe Hygienique
Soap, cake, 27c
4711 White Rose
Soap, cake, 17c
Pears Unscented
Soap, cake, 17c
Packer's Tar Soap,
cake, 17c</p> <p>Manicure
Preparations
(Limit 3 to Customer)
Cutex Cake Polish,
Paste Polish, Cuticle
Comfort or Nail
White, each, 22c
Cutex Cuticle Re-
mover, large size, 44c
Parker Pray's Dia-
mond Nail Enamel, 18c
Mirror Nail Polish,
23c
Glasz Nail Polish,
35c</p> | <p>Perfumes and
Toilet Waters
(Limit 3)
Coty's Toilet Water,
odors, rose, chypre,
L'Or Paris or L'Or-
gan; small size; bot-
tle, 2.25
Kerkoff's Djer-Kiss
Vegetal, 68c
Caron's White Nar-
cisse Toilet Water,
ounce, 1.25
Caron's Chanticleer
Perfume, 53.50
D'Orsay's Triomphe
Perfume, 5.00
D'Orsay's Chevalier
Perfume, 2.00
Froville Toilet Wa-
ter; bottle, 98c
Coty's Toilet Water,
Ambre Antique or
Styria; small size; bot-
tle, 2.50
Coty's Toilet Water,
odors, chypre, rose,
jasmine or ambre an-
tique; ounce, 69c</p> <p>Sundries
Dupont French
Toothbrushes, 59c
Prophylactic Tooth-
brushes (seconds), 25c
Hux English
Toothbrush, 35c
Marvel Whirling
Spray Syringe, 2.25
Dressing Combs;
celluloid and black
rubber; each, 19c
Ivory white Hair
Receivers, Puff Boxes,
Photo Frames, Hat
Brushes and 3-piece
Manicure Set, each,
79c
Toilet Set, 3-piece;
comb, brush and mir-
ror; white on amber;
bevel edge mirror;
brush has eleven rows
of good quality bris-
tles; comb part fine
teeth; set, 66.50
Hughes' Ideal Hair-
brush, No. 66; double
bristles, 1.59</p> <p>Dentifrices
(Limit 3 to Customer)
Cato Anti-Pyorrhea
Tooth Paste, tube, 26c
Listerine Toeth
Paste, 17c; three for 50c
Pebeco Tooth Paste,
tube, 32c
Sanitol Tooth Pow-
der or Paste, 17c
Calox Tooth Powder,
19c
Rubifoam Liquid
Dentifrice, 19c
Dr. Huffs' Tooth
Powder, 38c</p> <p>Castile Soaps
(Buying Limit 3 Cakes)
Serge's Crown Cas-
tile Soap, cake, 5c
La Primera Castile
Soap, cake, 10c
San Remo Castile
Soap, cake, 5c
Million French Cas-
tile Soap, cake, 5c
Florence Castile
Soap, cake, 6c</p> | <p>Germicidal Soap,
germicide and de-
tergent,
cake, 17c; 3 for 50c
(Limit 3.)</p> <p>Williams' Tal-
cum Powder, odors
violet, rose, carna-
tion or lilac,
box, 10c
(Buying limit 3.)</p> <p>Twin Cocoa Cas-
tile Soap, made by
the manufacturers
of Palmolive,
cake, 6c; dozen, 65c
(Limit 2 dozen.)</p> <p>Cutex Nail Pow-
der gives the nails
a brilliant polish,
box, 12c; 3 for 35c
(Limit 3 boxes.)</p> <p>Graham Bros.'
Assorted Toilet
Soaps, 20 cakes to the
box, 50c
(Limit 2 boxes.)</p> <p>Peet Bros.' Co-
coa Oil Toilet
Soap,
cake, 3c; dozen, 35c
(Limit 1 doz.)</p> <p>Jergens' Bath
and Toilet Soaps,
9 cakes to the box,
box, 55c
(Limit 2 boxes.)</p> <p>Kerkoff's Djer-
Kiss Talcum Pow-
der, box, 17c
(Buying limit 3.)</p> <p>Ivory Guest-Size
Toilet Soap, ideal
for the traveler or
guest,
cake, 4c; doz., 45c</p> <p>Palmolive Tal-
cum Soap, a deli-
cious Oriental odor,
box, 12.5c
(Buying limit 2.)</p> <p>Graham Bros.'
Lama Oil Com-
plexion Soap, cake,
6c; dozen, 65c
(Limit 2 dozen.)</p> <p>Bath Soaps
(Buying Limit 3 Cakes)
Graham's Lemon
Cocoa Soap, cake, 5c
Crystal Hard Water
Soap, cake, 4c
Stern's Almond
Soap, cake, 4c
Graham's Orange
Soap, cake, 4c
Jergens' Peroxide
Soap, cake, 5c
Stern's Glycerine
Soap, cake, 6c
Toilet Goods Emp-
orium, Squares and Thrift Av-
enue, Main Floor.</p> |
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Imported Bead Bags
BEAUTIFUL colors
and attractive de-
signs. The Bags are lined in
high colors and finished with a
deep shir of beads. A wide
band handle and a dainty cor-
d belt Bag securely. (Main Floor.)

Cotton Union Suits
WOMEN'S Cotton
Union Suits, built-up
shoulder or bodice styles. Tight
fit. Sizes 36 and 38.
(Main Floor.)

Val. Lace, Dozen
FRENCH Val. in edge 29c
and insertion of vari-
ous styles. 394 dozen yards.
(Main Floor.)

Real Irish and Filet
WELL-MADE Chinese
and Irish Lace, in va-
rious styles and widths. 394
yards in the group. (Main Floor.)

Extra-Size Union Suits
FOR women, made with
bodice top and tight
knee. (Main Floor.)

Notions
White Bloomer Elastic, 1/4-in.
width, 12-yard piece, 29c
Novelty Tying Braid and
Edgers, 3-yard piece, 10c
Children's Waists, with sup-
porters attached, all good sizes,
29c (Main Floor.)

Thread-Silk Hose
MEDIUM weight,
full fashioned, with 1.59
little heels, toes and garter tops.
Pretty lace docket and instep
styles. Black and brown.
(Main Floor.)

See Our Other Advertisements on Pages 0 and 0

STIX, BAER & FULLER

GRAND-LEADER

Tuesday—Economy Day

(No Mail or Phone Orders Filled)

Men's Leghorn Hats
HAND-WEVEN
Hats from Italy. \$1.69
Light, airy and comfortable.
There are several good styles
for selection. (Main Floor.)

White Dress Pumps
ODDS and ends in 29c
Women's white \$2.95
dress pumps, strap effects; 300
pairs in the lot. (Main Floor.)

Children's Parasols, 69c

PRETTY
Sunshades
covered with a
good quality of
linette (a cot-
ton material),
in sky blue,
pink, tan, rose,
green and
white, trimmed with floral
borders, checked and polka
dot inserts. Maple handles,
with satin wrist cords.
(Thrift Avenue—Main Floor.)

Men's Silk Socks
FINE quality white Silk
Socks, full fashioned,
with lisle soles and heels.
(Main Floor.)

Men's Keds, Pair
MADE of white can-
vas, trimmed with
brown calf ankle patches. All
sizes. (Main Floor.)

Girls' Strap Slippers
GROWING girls'
brown kid two-
strap slippers. Well-sewed
soles. Sizes 3 1/2 to 7.
(Main Floor.)

Infants' Slippers
IN patent leather \$1.69
with gray quarters. Hand-
turned soles. Sizes 4 to 8.
(Main Floor.)

Dress Crepe de Chine
VERY desirable dress \$2.69
Crepe, smooth
weave, all-silk quality. Shown
in navy, brown and black. 40
inches wide. (Second Floor.)

All-Linen Towels
HEMSTITCHED Linen
Towels; very soft 44c
finest huck with damask bor-
ders. Measure 18x32 inches.
(Second Floor.)

Glass Towels
HEMME Glass Tow-
els ready for use. Of 15c
fine quality bleached crash, wa-
ven with blue stripe through the
center. A very absorbent qual-
ity. (Second Floor.)

Women's Gowns
NVELTY crepe and
striped Batiste \$1.59
Gowns, neatly hemstitched or
hand-embroidered designs. Some
have strap shoulders. Flesh,
peach and orchid. (Second Floor.)

Panta Frocks
GINGHAM Panta
Frocks, in solid col- 95c
ors and checks, trimmed with
wash braid. The sizes are 2 to
5 years. (Second Floor.)

Extra-Size Corset Covers
MADE of nainsook, 79c
prettily trimmed with
lace and embroidery. Several
styles for selection. 46 to 50
bust measurements. (Second Floor.)

Kennebec Canoes
SEVERAL models \$69.50
of these high-
grade Canoes offered for Econ-
omy Day at a reduced price.
splendid designing and finish, in
either red or green. (Fourth Floor.)

11-Pc. Kitchen Set, 98c
FOR Economy Day we offer this
exceptional value. Made of select
wood. The Set consists of 7 assorted-
size wood spoons, 1 potato masher, 1
meat mallet, 1 rolling pin, fitted into
solid wood rack to be hung on wall.
(As illustrated.)

Eclipse Gas Range, \$39.95
Full size, with white enamel splash-
back door panels and clean-out drip
tray, equipped with bake oven which
can be had on the right or left hand
side. Purchased on easy payment plan
if desired.

Chipso Washing Soap
Chips, 2 for 27c
Large size, P. & G. make.
Specially prepared for use in
washing machines.

Garbage Cans, 75c
Of galvanized iron, 6-gal-
lon capacity, with deep rim
cover and bail handle.

Toilet Paper
10 Rolls for 75c
Hospital brand high-grade
Tissue Paper—1000 sheets to
the roll. Limit 10 rolls.

Jelly Glasses, 20c Doz.
Medium size. Made of
brown glass with screw caps.
Limit 3 dozen. (Fifth Floor.)

Dinner Napkins, Dozen
BLEACHED damask \$1.50
Napkins, very close-
ly woven in neat floral designs.
Measure 20x20 inches.
(Second Floor.)

Artificial Fruit, 2 for
UNBREAKABLE Arti- 25c
ficial Fruit. Included
are peaches, bananas, pears,
black and red plums and apples.
(Second Floor.)

Stamped Scarfs
OYSTER White Linen 89c
Scarfs, stamped in a
simple design for solid or out-
line embroidery. Size 18x54
inches. (Second Floor.)

Novelty Satinettes, Yard
FANCY Satinettes, a 49c
soft beautiful fabric
for coat linings, 36 inches wide.
(Second Floor.)

Brassieres
SATIN-STRIPE and \$1.39
silk-jersey combina-
tion with elastic at waistline in
back. A good assortment of
sizes. (Second Floor.)

Children's Socks
MERCERIZED Socks, 29c
in white and colors,
with fancy turn-over tops.
(Main Floor.)

Men's Union Suits
"ROCKINHAIR" \$1.15
Athletic Union
Suits, of good quality checked
nainsook, taped neck. All sizes
34 to 46 represented. (Main Floor.)

Extra-Size Gowns
MADE of cambric, \$1.19
in high or V-neck
long-sleeve styles, tucked and
embroidery trimmed yoke, em-
broidery edge at back and
sleeves. Ample full for stout
figures. (Second Floor.)

Canton Crepe, Yard
CANTON thread \$2.79
twist Crepe, an ex-
cellent quality. Black only.
There are 500 yards in the lot.
(Second Floor.)

Bath Towels
BLEACHED Terry cloth 20c
Towels, neatly hemmed,
woven with fast-colored stripes
in pink or blue. (Second Floor.)

Boys' 2-Trouser
Wool Suits \$8
JUST 100
Suits of
fine wool
fabrics,
suitable for
all-year-
round
wear. Coats
are in new
styles, al-
paca lined;
both pairs
of knickers
full lined and strongly sewed.
Not all sizes in every pat-
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in sizes 8 to 18.
(Boys' Own Store—
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100 Pounds for
SANITARY White Towels 95c
pile. (Fifth Floor.)

Handcars
NO. 2 size, exception- \$5.25
ally well made and
fitted with rubber-tired wheels.
An excellent exerciser. (Fifth Floor.)

Hay Wagons
MADE of wood, fit- \$1.00
ted with wood disc
wheels, removable sides. Splen-
did for the little tots. (Fifth Floor.)

Billy Buster Flyer
FLAT-TOP Coaster, \$2.98
for the older boy,
fitted with rubber-tired wheel.
(Fifth Floor.)

Ruffled Curtains, Pair
OF fine crossbarred \$1.50
sides and bottom with a gen-
erous ruffle. 400 prints in the
lot. Each pair complete with
tie-backs to match. (Sixth Floor.)

Bathing Suits
MEN'S California \$3.25
style Wool Bath-
ing Suits, good style and cut
on lines to make it easy to swim.

Tennis Rackets
A STANALD size \$1.59
and weight at this
special Economy price. (Fourth Floor.)

Tennis Supplies
Wright & Ditson Champion-
ship Tennis Balls, 25c
Racket Covers, waterproof;
pocket for balls, and some for
shoes. \$1.29
(Fourth Floor.)

Water Pitchers
OF stone, in tankard 29c
shape, with highly 29c
glazed finish. Very desirable
because they hold an even tem-
perature. (Fifth Floor.)

Fruit Bowls
OF clear pressed glass, 49c
in attractive designs. (Fifth Floor.)

Carved White Beads
GRADUATED Neck \$1.39
laces, of carved
white bone beads, with white
catch. Deep carving, in beauti-
ful designs; 28-inch length.
(Main Floor.)

Bracelet
Watches, \$12.00
Rectangular Watches,
white gold-filled cases, fitted
with 10-jewel lever move-
ments. Fancy dials, and ribbon
bracelets. The cases
carry a 25-year guarantee,
and the Watches are guaran-
teed to keep accurate time.
(Main Floor.)

Dinner Service
OF English semi- \$25.00
porcelain, deco-
rated in floral border design.
100 pieces. Complete service
for 12 persons. (Fifth Floor.)

Rag Rugs
HEAVY quality Rag 89c
Rugs in very attrac-
tive mixtures; made from new,
fresh rags. Size 27x54 inches.
(Sixth Floor.)

Fancy Linings
SILK and lisle high 79c
grade Linings, new
designs and color combinations.
A lovely assortment. (Second Floor.)

Curtain Stretchers
Full size, with adjust- \$1.98
able pin. Will ex-
tend to 6 1/2 feet. Adjustable
frame. (Fifth Floor.)

Hygienic Refrigerators
MADE of solid oak, \$26.75
3-door side-Ac-
er, fitted with white enamel food
chamber. Ice capacity 30 pounds.
(Fifth Floor.)

Food Choppers
GRISWOLD brand, \$1.69
large size, chops
without mashing. Used for
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Fine, coarse or medium. (Fifth Floor.)

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Men's Shirts

Exceptional Value
\$1.39

IN this group of Shirts
we offer at a very low price
Economy Day are included
neckband, collar-attached, and
collar-to-match styles. They are
well made, of good materials—
madras, poplin, Oxford and other
fabrics—in stripes, plain col-
ors, and many in plain white.
All sizes 14 to 17, with some
sizes 17 1/2 to 19.

Men's Fine Knit Neckwear, 79c
The surplus stocks of two well-known manufacturers of
finest quality knitted Neckwear offered at a marked saving in
price. A wide selection of stripes, plain colors and heather
weaves is included. Every Tie is perfect. (Main Floor.)

Fiber Rugs
"JASPER" reversi- \$15.00
ble Fiber Rugs in
9x12 size. A different design
stenciled on either side. Very
durable. (Sixth Floor.)

Steel Folding Cots
FINISHED in gray \$3.50
enamel. Size 2 ft. 6
in. An exceptional value.
(Seventh Floor.)

Cotton Pads
COVERED with fan- \$3.25
cy art tickings to
fit the steel folding cots on sale.
(Seventh Floor.)

7-Piece
Water Sets
\$1.49
EACH Set includes a
squat-shaped pitcher and
six glasses, of clear optic
glass, decorated in needle-
etched design. (Thrift Avenue—Main Floor.)

DOWNSTAIRS STORE

100 Tricolette Dresses
\$5.00
OF plain and fancy drop-
stitch tricolette. Several
attractive styles in black,
blue, cocoa, Harding blue and
gray. Sizes for women and
misses in the lot. (Downstairs Store.)

Tom Sawyer Play Suits
FLAPPER-STYLE \$1.00
Suits, the two-
piece and Coveralls, assorted
styles and colors. All are sub-
ject to slight imperfections.
(Downstairs Store.)

Floorcovering, Sq. Yd.
REMNANTS of splen- 49c
did-wearing Felt
Floorcovering. Please bring
measurements. (Downstairs Store.)

Women's Union Suits
IN low-neck style, with 33c
loose knee that has
shell trimming. Regular and
extra sizes. (Downstairs Store.)

Women's Hose
MEDIUM-WEIGHT 12c
Cotton Hose in
black only. Have wide elastic
top. Seconds. Sizes 8 1/2 to 10.
(Downstairs Store.)

Bungalow and
Casement Curtains
\$1.25 and \$1.75 Each
IN large square-mesh effects.
Scotch allover patterns,
volleys, marquisettes, etc. Fin-
ished with thread or bullion
fringe. (Downstairs Store.)

Fancy Voile, Yard
CHOICE of our entire 19c
stock, including light
and dark effects—neat figures,
dots and floral designs. Splen-
did for late Summer dresses.
36 and 39 inch widths.
(Downstairs Store.)

Plisse Crepe, Yard
GOOD quality Crepe 20c
—soft finish, for un-
dergarments. Pink, white,
lavender and other colors. 37
inches wide. (Downstairs Store.)

Cretonnes, Yard
SECONDS of fine Cre- 29c
tonnes offered at
this low price. Cut from full
pieces. (Downstairs Store.)

Electric
Sewing Machines
\$39.75
The Standard Rotary
Portable Electric Sewing
Machine. Complete with
full set of attachments.
Easy terms of payment if
desired. (Fifth Floor.)



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75c

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"Hose"

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25c

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40c

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40c

and champagne,
75c

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75c

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Blue Bird No. 81,907—Tuesday Only
\$5 Costume Slips, \$5.10
Iridescent rayon silk Slip, in
all sizes. Sizes 36 to 44.

Blue Bird No. 81,908—Tuesday Only
\$5 Floor Lamps, \$19.90
Georgette silk shades in va-
rious colors; hand-turned Roman
bases.

Blue Bird No. 81,909—Tuesday Only
\$9 Boudoir Lamps, \$6.20
Decorated metal bases,
all opalescent dome style

Blue Bird No. 82,000—Tuesday Only
150 Boys' Caps, \$1.10
Onyx style, pleated; neat pat-
tern.

Blue Bird No. 82,001—Tuesday Only
\$10.95 Bed Sets, \$8.40
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Nugent's Blue Birds

EVERY TUESDAY

"BLUE BIRDS" are special offerings for the one day only. When the store closes Tuesday night, regular prices go back into effect. We number thousands of patrons who always make it a point to take advantage of this one day's exceptional opportunities.

Blue Bird No. 82,038—Tuesday Only
\$52 Trunk, \$44.60
Wardrobe Trunk, excellent quality, all hard fiber. Five-ply construction, very modern.

Blue Bird No. 82,039—Tuesday Only
\$8.95 Bags, \$6.40
Cowhide traveling Bags, no split. Full length, leather lined with pockets. Lock and catch of best quality.

Blue Bird No. 82,040—Tuesday Only
\$4 Incense Burners, \$2.90
Assortment of styles. Very decorative as well as useful.

Blue Bird No. 82,041—Tuesday Only
\$6.50 Book Ends, \$4.20
Bronze, several designs, also "The Peacock" and "The Umbrella Girl."

Blue Bird No. 82,042—Tuesday Only
\$1.25 Radium, 80c
36-inch Radium cloth, foundations for lace dresses. All colors.

Blue Bird No. 82,043—Tuesday Only
95c Fillet Laces, 60c
Real Fillet Laces, in various attractive patterns.

Blue Bird No. 82,044—Tuesday Only
\$1.50 Irish Lace, \$1.05
Beautiful handmade Irish crocheted Laces, in rose and shamrock patterns.

Blue Bird No. 82,045—Tuesday Only
\$1.95 Gauntlets, \$1.40
Fancy silk Gauntlets of Milanese silk. Several styles. Double tips. Several colors.

Blue Bird No. 82,046—Tuesday Only
\$2.50 Silk Gloves, \$1.80
Fine Milanese silk, Paris point-back, double tips; 16-button length. Sand, pongee, white.

Blue Bird No. 82,047—Tuesday Only
\$5 Thermalware Jars, \$4.10
Keep liquids or foods hot or cold for hours. Vitrified lining, wide mouth.

Blue Bird No. 82,048—Tuesday Only
\$3 Silk Hose, \$2.40
Women's; all-silk, full fashioned, reinforced at wearing points. Black, white, brown.

Blue Bird No. 82,049—Tuesday Only
\$4 Chiffon Hose, \$3.20
Women's all-silk, sheer quality Chiffon Hose, in black. All sizes.

Blue Bird No. 82,050—Tuesday Only
\$1.35 Union Suits, \$1.05
Men's athletic Suits, fine nainsook and madras. Sizes 34 to 44.

Blue Bird No. 82,051—Tuesday Only
\$2.00 Union Suits, \$1.40
Women's lisle Suits, band or bodice tops. Loose knee. Irregular sizes.

Blue Bird No. 82,052—Tuesday Only
Women's \$7.95 Union Suits, \$6.20
Pink - glove-silk Union Suits, band and bodice top styles. Sizes 44 and 46.

Blue Bird No. 82,053—Tuesday Only
\$10.00 Pleated Skirts, \$7.40
Wool crepe Skirts, knife-pleated; all wanted colors. Women's and misses' sizes.

Blue Bird No. 82,054—Tuesday Only
\$9.95 Plaid Blankets, \$8.20
Extra size, 72x84-inch; bound ends; large blue plaid; pair.

Blue Bird No. 82,055—Tuesday Only
\$17.50 Mattresses, \$12.40
45-lb. all-cotton felt; roll-edge; covered with good ticking.

Blue Bird No. 82,056—Tuesday Only
\$23.75 Steel Beds, \$18.20
Squirt post; mitered corners; twin bed or full size. Wood finished.

Blue Bird No. 82,057—Tuesday Only
Women's \$12 Umbrellas, \$9.40
Silk Umbrellas, amber and baccolite ring, strap handles. All colors.

Blue Bird No. 82,058—Tuesday Only
\$16.50 Millinery, \$14.10
New York Model Hats. High-grade materials; styles to suit all types of women.

Blue Bird No. 82,059—Tuesday Only
\$10.00 Millinery, \$7.20
New Fall Hats, smart styles in felt, duvetyne, velvets. All desirable shades.

Blue Bird No. 82,060—Tuesday Only
\$1.25 Collar and Cuff Sets, 80c
Tuxedo Collar and Cuff Sets. Several lovely designs of beautiful Venise point laces.

Blue Bird No. 82,061—Tuesday Only
\$1.00 Vestee Sets, 80c
Of imported organdie; come in white with Peter Pan collars, daintily edged with lace.

Blue Bird No. 82,062—Tuesday Only
39c Ribbons, 30c
Taffeta and moire Ribbons, 5 to 7 inches wide. Come in attractive assortment of new colors.

Blue Bird No. 82,063—Tuesday Only
Men's 35c Handkerchiefs, 20c
Pure linen Handkerchiefs, in fine sheer quality linen, with 3-inch hemstitched hem.

Blue Bird No. 82,064—Tuesday Only
Women's 35c Handkerchiefs, 20c
Embroidered linen Handkerchiefs, neatly hemstitched.

Blue Bird No. 82,065—Tuesday Only
Women's 35c Colored Handkerchiefs, 20c
Colored linen Handkerchiefs, with attractive corner embroidery—neatly hemstitched.

Blue Bird No. 82,066—Tuesday Only
\$4.50 Silk Cushions, \$3.60
Oval and round changeable taffeta couch Cushion attractively made; cord center and fluffy style.

Blue Bird No. 82,067—Tuesday Only
\$1.95 Mama Dolls, \$1.40
Neatly dressed, will walk and talk; 20 inches tall.

Blue Bird No. 82,068—Tuesday Only
\$1.00 Toy Bats, 75c
Rubber Bats, large size, in various colors and decorated.

Blue Bird No. 82,069—Tuesday Only
\$37.50 Bicycles, \$29.80
For boys and girls; in full size and fully equipped.

Blue Bird No. 82,070—Tuesday Only
\$8.75 Electric Irons, \$5.20
Household Irons, with attached stand and thumb rests.

Blue Bird No. 82,071—Tuesday Only
\$9.45 Electric Grill, \$7.20
Three-heat round Grill. Equipped with three pans. Complete ready to use.

Blue Bird No. 82,072—Tuesday Only
\$38.75 Rugs, \$32.50
6x9-ft. heavy Axminsters, very best quality in assortment of latest designs and color combinations.

Blue Bird No. 82,073—Tuesday Only
\$6.95 Panel Curtains, \$4.20
Shadow lace effect, scalloped bottom trimmed with 4-inch silk fringe.

Blue Bird No. 82,074—Tuesday Only
\$2.95 Drapery Silks, \$2.10
Excellent quality, large range of beautiful patterns and colors.

Blue Bird No. 82,075—Tuesday Only
\$7.00 High Chairs, \$5.40
Baby's High Chair with aluminum tray. All white or ivory finish.

Blue Bird No. 82,076—Tuesday Only
Babies' \$5.95 Suits, \$4.60
Baby Boy Suit. Fongee Oliver Twist Suits with picot ruffles and French knots.

Blue Bird No. 82,077—Tuesday Only
\$7.75 Corsets, \$6.20
High-grade Corsets of flesh broche, especially adapted to the full figure.

Blue Bird No. 82,078—Tuesday Only
\$3.95 Lingerie, \$3.10
Philippine hand embroidered Nightgowns and Envelope Chemise of fine nainsook.

Blue Bird No. 82,079—Tuesday Only
\$4.50 Princess Slips, \$3.80
Radium Silk Princess Slips, bodice top and hip hem.

Blue Bird No. 82,080—Tuesday Only
\$2.95 Kimonos, \$2.10
Japanese Crepe Kimonos, hand embroidered, many pretty patterns. All desired colors.

Blue Bird No. 82,081—Tuesday Only
Men's \$6.95 Silk Shirts, \$5.20
White Silk Shirts, white satin-striped patterns. Sizes 14 to 16.

Blue Bird No. 82,082—Tuesday Only
Men's \$3.50 Pajamas, \$2.80
Solitaire Pajamas, button and frog trimmings. White and colors. All sizes.

Blue Bird No. 82,083—Tuesday Only
Boys' \$13.95 Suits, \$9.90
Two-Pant Suits; belt-around style, in new fall patterns. Sizes 8 to 18.

Blue Bird No. 82,084—Tuesday Only
\$1.00 Pocket Knives, 70c
Fine steel blades, brass-backed, several styles of desirable handles.

Blue Bird No. 82,085—Tuesday Only
\$1.75 Silk Fringe, \$1.20
Nine-inch knotted Fringe. Come in black and tan; for dresses or wraps.

Blue Bird No. 82,086—Tuesday Only
\$15.00 Coffee Sets, \$11.60
4-piece after-dinner Coffee set, coffee pot, cream and sugar and tray. Heavy silver-plated. Guaranteed.

Blue Bird No. 82,087—Tuesday Only
Boys' 98c Blouses, 70c
Sport and collar-attached Blouses, in fancy striped patterns. Sizes 8 to 16.

Blue Bird No. 82,088—Tuesday Only
Boys' \$1.98 Wash Suits, \$1.40
Middy and Balkan style, in tan, green, gray and navy. Sizes 8 to 16.

Blue Bird No. 82,089—Tuesday Only
Men's \$2.00 Caps, \$1.40
High-grade, made in popular one-piece style. All new patterns. Sizes 6 1/2 to 7 1/2.

Blue Bird No. 82,090—Tuesday Only
Girls' \$2.95 Sweaters, \$2.10
Slipovers, just received, in orange, buff, brown, green, red, gray, black and combination colors.

Blue Bird No. 82,091—Tuesday Only
\$1.50 Middies, \$1.10
Made of white jean and Peggy cloth, guaranteed colors. Also khaki jean Middies. Sizes 8 to 22.

Blue Bird No. 82,092—Tuesday Only
\$1.95 Knickers, \$1.55
A well-made Knicker of khaki jean, pockets, buttons and some with belt of self material.

Blue Bird No. 82,093—Tuesday Only
Girls' \$4.95 Raincoats, \$4.10
Guaranteed waterproof Raincoats, in tan, gray and navy. Sizes 6 to 14.

Blue Bird No. 82,094—Tuesday Only
\$1.80 Sheets, \$1.40
Size 81x90, fine quality Sheets; bleached.

Blue Bird No. 82,095—Tuesday Only
6c Fairy Soap, 5 for 25c
The popular bath Soap.

Blue Bird No. 82,096—Tuesday Only
50 Gold Dust, 10 Pkgs. for 35c
Fairbank's Washing Powder.

Blue Bird No. 82,097—Tuesday Only
\$6.95 House Dresses, \$5.30
Extra-size House Dresses of fine gingham; blue, orchid, black, white and novelty stripe.

Blue Bird No. 82,098—Tuesday Only
\$2.35 Lincolns, \$1.40
36x3 1/2 Lincolns Cord Tubes. Heavy duty type.

Blue Bird No. 82,099—Tuesday Only
\$7.50 Lace Scarfs, \$5.80
Imported Venetian Lace Scarf, size 15x54-inch with pure linen center, artistic patterns.

Here Are a Few of the Many Offerings Now Being Made in The August Black Silk Sale

\$4.00 Black Canton Crepe
40-inch beautiful Black Canton Crepe; reversible, extra heavy quality, firmly woven; for early Fall dresses; in this August Black Silk sale at **\$2.79**

\$4.50 Black Flat Thread Crepe
This 40-inch, extra heavy, fine Black Flat Thread Crepe. In the August Black Silk sale at **\$2.98**

\$4.50 Black Satin Canton Crepe
39-inch wide, all-silk, lustrous, satin-face crepe-back, extra quality. August Black Silk sale at **\$2.98**

\$3.50 Black Satin Charmeuse
40-inch best Black Satin Charmeuse, beautiful texture and finish. In this August Black Silk sale at **\$2.69**

\$10.50 Black Chiffon Velvets
Princess Chiffon Velvets, beautiful black; ideal for afternoon and street frocks. In this August Black Silk sale at **\$7.95**

\$1.50 Black Crepe de Chine
40-inch, light weight, all-silk Black Crepe de Chine. In this August Black Silk sale at **\$1.00**

\$3.00 Black Satin Duchess
yard-wide lustrous Black Satin Duchess, extra heavy, pure dye quality. In the August Black Silk sale at **\$1.98**

\$2.50 Black Chiffon Taffeta
yard-wide, pure dye, lustrous Black Chiffon Taffeta. In this August Black Silk sale at **\$1.69**

\$10.50 Black Brocade Silks
40-inch gorgeous Brocade Black Silk Crepe and Novelty Roshanara Chenille Crepe. In this August Black Silk sale at **\$6.95**

40-In. Black Chinchilla Satins
this well-known beautiful black Satin Crepe is ideal for wraps and capes and dresses. In this August Black Silk sale at **\$4.88**

New School Suits For Boys With Two Pairs of Trousers

All Sizes at **\$10.00**
High-grade cassimere, cheviot and tweed Suits at a substantial saving. Belted all around with inverted or box pleat back. Alpaca lined. Two pair of knickers, well tailored and full lined. New Fall patterns in gray, brown, green and other mixed patterns. Sizes 8 to 18.



We're Placing on Sale Tomorrow Men's Pajamas and Nightshirts

Some of the **\$1.19**
Some of the **\$1.50 Kind** for Only **\$1.19**
The Pajamas are of good quality percale, neatly frog trimmed, in sizes B, C and D, and the Nightshirts are of "Fruit of the Loom" muslins; cut full size, in sizes 16 to 19.

Men's \$1.00 Nightshirts 79c
Of good quality muslin; made V-neck style, in sizes 15 to 19.

Men's \$2.00 Pajamas \$1.59
Of "Fruit-of-the-Loom" muslins, made V-neck style and frog trimmed; in sizes B, C and D; on sale at **\$1.59**



Save \$5.00 to \$15.00 by Buying in This August Overcoat Sale

Advance Orders Make Possible This Price
Ulsters Ulsterettes Raglans Box Coats Chesterfields
Now to Be Had at **\$26**
Pay \$5 Now
—and either have your Overcoat laid away for you or begin immediately to pay a small amount each week until it is paid for.
Or Charge It and Pay November 1st
Overcoats for cold weather—you've heard of them all before, but you've never seen the same models that we're going to show you in this sale and which you will see on men of fashion this Fall and Winter! Yokes—pleated backs—patch pockets—huge rolling collars—snappy belted effects—all we can do now is to TELL you about them! You owe it to your own good appearance to see them.



We Guarantee the Value of These Overcoats
We guarantee the value of every Overcoat, which means that the style, the quality of fabrics and the workmanship will be far superior to any that you will see this Fall—at like price. If the Overcoat you buy in this sale does not measure up to the standard—if you are not satisfied, then we will gladly refund your money. Buy it NOW—for here are values that no man can afford to miss. It means \$5.00 to \$15.00 to put

Rengo Belt Corsets

\$5 and \$6 Values **\$3.85**

Excellent Corsets, especially made for stout figures; heavily but comfortably boned and well reinforced across the front.

Very Special! "Streamline" Golf Clubs

\$12 Value, **\$6.95** for

A Club that will delight golf enthusiasts—a driver and brassie in one—assuring greater speed and distance to the ball.

Famous Barr Co. At

DOUBLE

STAMP

We Give Eagle Stamps and Redeem Full Books for \$2 in Cash or \$2.50 in Merchandise—Few Restricted Articles Excepted.

Tuesday—the Second Day of Our Extraordinary August

Sale of Fall Frocks

The Very Latest Authentic Models
\$45 to \$55 Values
Special at

\$37

Sizes 14 to 44

It was a remarkable purchase that made this sale possible and women and misses who buy knowingly will certainly select from these handsome Dresses. Only the most approved Autumn styles are offered and in a variety that affords unusual choice for all daytime occasions. Materials, colors and trimmings are as varied as they are attractive and you would do well to make early selection.

Frocks of Georgette, Canton, crepe de chine, satin and crepe satin—in tan, cocoa, brown, navy and black.

Smart Winter Coats

—Approved Modes and Very Extraordinary Values at.

Sample garments and specially-purchased groups—presenting really remarkable choice of handsome Winter Wraps at much less than their real worth—all styled in authentic 1933-34 modes, and superbly tailored of elegant fabrics. The majority are trimmed with beautiful furs. Women's, misses' and extra sizes up to 32½ bust.

\$58

Fourth Floor

One of the Biggest Features of the August Super-Selling Campaign

3,000 Two-

Men's and Young Men's Suits Models for Im
Wear—Specially Purchased From New York's Mo

\$40, \$45, and \$55

Offered in This Sale Tomorrow

By a stroke of good fortune used 3000 Two-Trouse which everyone will instantly be exceedingl
ucts of two of New York's manufacturers who co-
this one of the biggest features of our August Sale.

It is an opportunity you should certainly
arrange to attend which opens at 8:30 to

The Sizes
Range From
34 to 50

—for men and young men and include regular, stout, slims and stubs—affording splendid choice for men of practically every build.

Solid Materials

The newest one, two and three button double-breasted, double-breasted sports at \$45—in well-assorted patterns of light and dark coloring. The materials are all of quality, while the tailoring of a kind popular men. In every detail these suits to men who know close values.

Many men who buying one of these Suits buy two or more at very unusual values



Beginning Tuesday—Another Feature Event of Our Extensive August Campaign—

Sale of Women's Fall Shoes

—the Very Newest Styles at Extreme Savings

Women and misses who anticipate footwear needs from this sale will profit to an unusual extent. Pumps, Oxfords and straps in the newest plain and novelty effects are offered in many smart styles, lasts and leathers—all of excellent makes and in such wide variety that there is excellent choice for all occasions and costumes. All sizes and all widths—and early selection from these three remarkably priced groups is advised.

\$7.50, \$8 and \$8.50

\$9 and \$10

\$11, \$12, \$12.50 & \$13.50

Footwear

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\$6.40

\$7.50

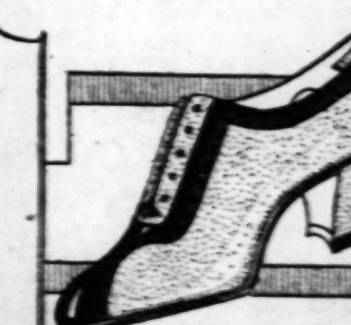
\$9.40

New gore Pumps, of patent with suede trimmings or satin with suede; Cross-Straps of plain satin or with suede; Oxfords of buck or tan and black Russia and patent; colt; English suede Oxfords in brown, gray or black, with fancy trimmings; new "Dulce" two-buckle Straps.

Fancy Oxfords and Two-Straps of black suede, with patent; other suede with brown patent; Mandala suede with brown patent; gray suede with dark gray; tan kid with solidmouse kid, and dull kid with patent; also plain and fancy Straps of patent, suede or satin.

Cut-out Pumps of patent, brown suede, gray suede kid and other leathers; new beaded One-Straps of French brocade, dull kid, suede and satin; "Babbie" Oxfords, one-strap and fancy buckle effects, in tan Russia, dull kid, patent leather and various shades of suede.

Second Floor



Tomorrow—An August Sale Offering of Manhattan Union Suits

\$1.50, \$2 & \$2.25 Values for

\$1.09

An offering which enables you to secure Athletic Union Suits of this widely known make—Suits known for superiority of tailoring, comfort and service.

Materials are fiber stripes, marquisette, voile, plaid chambric, jacquard and much, madras, ducky effects and gabbed madras. Taped armholes—reinforced neckline. Sizes 34 to 48.

Main Floor



Anti-Fur Sale

Such coats are offered on advance sale by this event at once—coats, capes, wraps, stoles, throws, chokers, stoles—all expertly made from valuable pelts.

A small Fur Sale commencing 1st; change of Fur sale—state—main floor.

Fourth Floor

Wide Selection Continues on This Second Day

SALE OF SILKS

—Offering \$2.25 to \$3.98 Qualities—Choice at, Yard.

In this enthusiastically attended event are offered the many beautiful silken weaves that are approved for Fall and Winter—in every color or combination of colors. The very dependable qualities, and the astonishing savings will prompt home-sewers to anticipate all Silk for the coming season.

Although thousands of yards remain, early selection is all-important. No mail or phone orders filled.

\$2.95 40-in. Striped Skirtings
\$2.95 36-in. Velvet
\$2.95 40-in. "Tobby" Weave
\$2.95 36-in. Checked Sponge
\$2.95 40-in. Crepe Skirting
\$2.95 20-in. French Metal Brocade
\$2.95 36-in. Printed Crepe
\$2.95 40-in. Colored Crepe de Chine

\$2.50 36-in. Black Marvelleuse
\$2.50 36-in. Crepe Kato
\$2.50 36-in. Jacquard Checked Taffeta
\$2.50 40-in. Roman Crepe
\$2.50 40-in. Satin Charmeuse
\$2.50 40-in. Black Charmeuse
\$2.50 40-in. Black Crepe de Chine
\$2.50 40-in. Colored Canton
\$2.50 40-in. Printed Crepe de Chine

\$2.95 40-in. Black Charmeuse
\$2.95 40-in. Black and White Charmeuse
\$2.95 36-in. Royal Satin
\$2.95 40-in. Tan Charmeuse
\$2.95 40-in. Light Charmeuse
\$2.95 40-in. Sports Charmeuse
\$2.95 36-in. Charmeuse Taffeta
\$2.95 40-in. Colored Charmeuse

August Sales

STAMP TUESDAY

Largest Distributors of Merchandise
at Retail in Missouri and the West.

"Kaynee" Blouses

\$2 and \$2.50
Value, for..... \$1.65

Boys' fiber-striped madras Blouses, in collar-attached style. Choice of many pleasing patterns. Button cuffs. Sizes 8 to 15 years. Second Floor

Women's Silk Hose

\$1.25 to \$1.65
Value, for..... \$1.00

White semi-fashioned Silk Hose with lace tops, heels and toes. Sizes 8 1/2 to 10 in the lot. 1200 pairs in this offering. Main Floor

Super-Valuing Campaign Will Begin at 8:30 Tomorrow Morning—

Two-Trouser Suits

Men's Suits in New Models for Immediate and Fall
Purchased From New York's Most Capable Makers

\$45, \$50, and \$55 Values

ed in This Sale Beginning Tomorrow, at

Stroke of good fortune secured 3000 Two-Trouser Suits to sell at a price everyone will instantly appreciate being exceedingly low. They are the product of New York's premier manufacturers who co-operated with us to make of the biggest features of our sale.

An opportunity of which you should certainly avail yourself—
to attend when the opens at 8:30 tomorrow morning

Sizes
From
to 50

Styled Materials

These suits of newest one, two and three button effects—breasted, double-breasted, sports and New York—in well-assorted patterns of light, medium and dark coloring. The materials are all of the highest quality, while the tailoring is of a kind popular to men. In every detail these suits will do men who know clothes values.

Small Charge for Extensive Alterations

For alterations other than the shortening or lengthening of sleeves or trousers there will be a small charge due to the very special price at which these suits are being offered.

Many men without saying one of these suits, but will buy two or more at very unusual values they are.

\$29.75

Second Floor

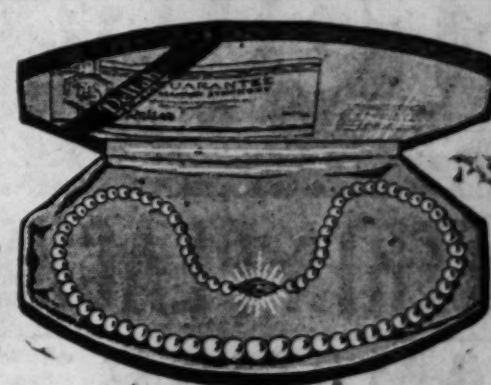
Tuesday Brings an Important August Attraction—

Sale of 'Deltah' Pearls

Discontinued Numbers of These Beautiful Strands

At Savings of..... 1/2

Many will welcome this opportunity to obtain these indestructible Pearls at this extreme saving. In various tints and lengths—each strand with "Deltah" tag and in "Deltah" box. Quantities limited, so choose as early as possible.



Deltah "Cotay" Pearls
With White Gold Clasp
\$ 9.00, 24-inch strands... \$4.45
\$11.00, 30-inch strands... \$5.45
\$13.50, 42-inch opera... \$6.75
style strands... \$8.75

Deltah "Cotay" Pearls
With Diamond-Set Clasp
\$10.00 18-in. strands... \$4.95
\$12.00 24-in. strands... \$5.95
\$14.00 30-in. strands... \$6.95

\$35 De Luxe Oriental Pearls
30-inch strands, with gold clasp set with diamond; in leatherette case... \$17.45
Main Floor

Art Needlework

Specials!

Taffeta Pillows

\$9.50 to \$12.50
values... \$5

Handsome Pillow... taffeta silk, trimmed with antique grade; made in boules, squares and round shapes and highly decorative for living room, bedroom or library.

Silk Bed Lights

Finished, ready to use; made with shades of rose, blue or orange silk; beautifully trimmed with gold lace and delicate flowers. At the August Sale Price... \$5.00

\$1.50 Stamped Cases

Pillowcases made of excellent tubing, stamped in very lovely patterns for scalloping or crocheted edges; 42 inches wide... 95c

\$2.95 Bedspreads

Unbleached sheeting in new designs for French knots and simple embroidery. For full-size \$1.89

25c Crochet Cotton

Crochet or embroidery Cotton; sizes 3 to 5; large balls. Special at... 18c
Third Floor

The Second Day of Our August Sale of

Girls' Winter Coats

Three Very Special Groups at

\$18 \$22 \$33



Only a special purchase made this event possible and mothers should profit by it to the fullest extent—the latest styles in girls' Winter Coats, many trimmed with fur and all splendidly tailored of smart and dependable fabrics. Wide choice of colors. Sizes 6 to 16.

New flared, sports and plain tailored models; with fur collars and cuffs, silk braiding, side ties and ball trimmings.

Fourth Floor

In the August Sale of Linens Are Pattern Tablecloths

Double satin damask Tablecloths of a very superior quality pure linen, in many exquisite patterns. Offered in these sizes, all at extraordinary savings.

2x2 -yard size... \$10.95
2x3 1/2 -yard size... \$13.45
2x3 -yard size... \$15.95
2x3 1/2 -yard size... \$18.95
2x4 -yard size... \$21.95
22x22-in. Napkins, doz. \$13.45

50c Bath Towels

Full bleached, thick, heavy Towels, with pink or blue borders; size 22x45 inches; each... \$1
35c or 5 for \$1

Bath Towels

89c Value... 55c
Extra heavy, all-white Turkish Towels, full bleached and nicely hemmed; in desirable 26x54-inch size.

\$14.98 Bed Sets

Elaborately lace-trimmed Sets with medallion centers; 85x96-inch size; separate bolsters; the set... \$11.75

Table Damask

\$2.25 Value... \$1.45
All-linen, full-bleached Damask, in 70-in. width, many beautiful designs for your choosing; a quality that is very heavy, giving splendid service.

\$9.98 Tablecloths

Heavy, all-linen Cloths finished with hemstitching; full bleached; 66x88-inch size; each... \$7.50

Bed Sets

\$8.45 Value... \$5.95
Satin Marseilles Spread, in full-bed size, 84x96 inches; finished with scalloped edges and cut corners; bolsters cover to match.

Third Floor

Monday—in the August Sale— \$45 Dinner Sets

Extraordinarily Priced at

\$25

American semi-porcelain Sets, modeled in the always attractive plain shape and decorated in various border designs, with gold-line edge. Bread and butter plates and fast-stand sauceboat are included.



100-Piece Dinner Set "Specials"
\$275 100-Piece Dinner Set... \$175.00
\$150 100-Piece Dinner Set... \$75.00
\$75 100-Piece Dinner Set... \$55.00
\$65 100-Piece Dinner Set... \$39.00
\$35 100-Piece Dinner Set... \$22.95
\$25 100-Piece Dinner Set... \$17.00
Fifth Floor

Tomorrow Begins an Event of Great Significance to Women—the August

Sale of Sewing Machines

Offering Well-Known Makes at Very Unusual Savings

To every woman who sews, this event comes as a more-than-welcome opportunity, with many specially purchased groups, and almost unheard-of savings. New, rebuilt and demonstration models, each one accompanied by a bamboo chair. Deferred payments if desired.

"White" Electric Machines



\$135 Value... \$90

In appearance, a Martha Washington Sewing Table, converted instantly into a practical Rotary Electric Machine with complete "White" equipment.

Singer Machines

The widely popular No. 66 cabinet model, with electric motor; large size, handsomely finished; limited number.



Drophead models in the popular No. 66 style; all skillfully rebuilt to give long and satisfactory service.

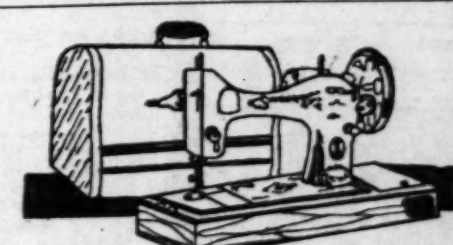
Singer Machines
Special at... \$77.50

Singer Machines
Special Tomorrow... \$30



"Climax" Portable Machines
Very Specially Priced at \$35

Excellent built Machines, made by the New Home Sewing Machine Co.; portable type, with electric motor; easy to move about; case attractively finished in walnut.



"Singer" Electric Portable Machines

\$60 Value... \$47.50

A special lot of sample Machines of this highly desirable type, newly purchased for this sale. Equipped with Hamilton-Beach motor and complete with full set of attachments and cord.



This Bamboo Sewing Chair Given With Every Sewing Machine Purchased During This Sale

Desk Sewing Machines

\$85 Value... \$62.50

Beautiful Machines, made by the Davis Co.; case of American walnut, electric motor and set of high-grade attachments. A splendid Machine, that is also a decorative piece of furniture.



Davis Electric



\$57.50 Value... \$45

A late model of Davis Electric Machines, in large size; well built and high grade.

Singer Machines

\$70 Value... \$57.50

Strictly new free-drawer drop-head Singer Machines in No. 66 style; with highly polished finish.

Singer Machines

\$55 Value... \$39.50

A limited number of No. 66 drophead Machines with all attachments; floor models, in perfect condition.



Singer Portable Machines

Special in This Event

\$55
No. 66 portable electric model, with guaranteed Hamilton-Beach motor, full set of attachments, rheostat and cord. Just the machine that many housewives want.

Sixth Floor

Now in Our

August Fur Sale

Such ermine are offered on advance sale garments that you saw at this event at once—coats, capes, wraps, jackets, throws, chokers and more—all expertly made of valuable pelts.

A small holds Furs chosen by number 1st; charges of Furs entered over statement.

Fourth Floor



Third Floor

OF SILK

Choice at, Yard.....

Offered the many handsome Winter—in every desirable and the try to anticipate all Silk needs.

in, early selection

one orders filled.

\$2.98 40-in. Rhama Crepe
\$2.50 Silk and Wool Crepe
\$2.50 36-in. Royal Satin
\$2.50 40-in. Tan Chiffon Tulle
\$2.50 40-in. Light Colored Crepe
\$2.50 40-in. Sports Satin
\$2.25 36-in. Changeable Chiffon
Taffeta
\$2.50 40-in. Colored Charmeuse

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& MORGAN ST.
EAGLE STAMPS

Athletic Suits
Men's good quality check, main body, elastic Union. Sizes 36 to 44. Special. **47c**

Women's
A new shipment of regular \$1.25 Hose. Now to be sold about 1/2 price. Colors black, white, brown and gray. All perfect. Special. **69c**

Window Shades
75c opaque cloth Window Shades; size 36 inches by 6 feet; green, white, light blue, irregular. **49c**

Silk Samples
Worth \$1.00 up to \$1.50; all kinds. Choice. **49c**

\$1.25 Sheets
A mill purchase of 72x90 bleached, hemmed and a sea med double beds; 240 in the lot. **69c**

ARMSTRONG'S
4-Yd. Wide Linoleum
Snap-back Cork Linoleum (20 ft. back); comes four yards wide cover average-size floors in one piece, avoiding all seams. The great display in the city. Selling at \$1.25 and 25 per square yard. Perfect in color and texture. **79c**

CONGOLEUM RUGS
No. 912 Gold Seal Congoeum Rugs. Nationally advertised by the "Prize of Wales" hands and are covered with a very fine quality of union taffeta. Slightly imperfect in weave. **\$10.95**

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August Sales Featuring "Red Letter Week"

August 13th to 17th 1923

Store Hours: Daily, 8:30 to 5:00; Friday, 8:30 to 5:30 Closed Saturday

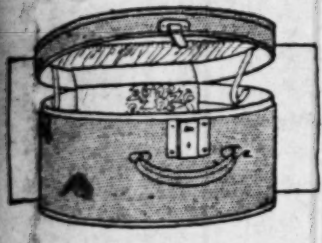
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August Sales Featuring "Red Letter Week"

August 13th to 17th 1923

Olive and Locust, From Ninth to Tenth

"Red-Letter Week" Offers Store-Wide Super Values for Tuesday!



The Pullman Hat Box

Special for Tuesday **\$5.00**

A Pullman Hat Box is essential for the person who travels. Besides taking care of your hat while you are traveling, it is convenient to hold your good hat while you are at home, to prevent them from getting soiled and bent. In many instances they have been carried as week-end bags where only an extra dime is needed.

Luggage Shop—Basement.



Rain or Shine Silk Umbrellas

Special **\$4.95**

These Umbrellas have very attractive handles of carved wood or fancy knobs with leather arm swings, fancy tips, and sturdy ends to match. The silk is a very fine grade, finished with self or contrasting borders. In navy, green, brown, black, red and purple. Slightly imperfect in weave.

Umbrella Shop—First Floor.

Men's Umbrellas \$3.95 to \$7.50

These Men's Umbrellas have "Prize of Wales" handles and are covered with a very fine quality of union taffeta. Slightly imperfect in weave.

Umbrella Shop—First Floor.



Stamped Goods For Summertime Embroidering

- Glass Towels, stamped for embroidery, each **18c**
- Day-Red Pillow Slip, stamped for embroidery, **\$1.05**
- Children's Rompers, stamped and made, **30c**
- Bridge Table Covers, with tapes for tying, **50c**
- 2-piece Buffet and Dressed Sets, stamped for embroidery, **30c**
- 34-inch Breakfast Cloth, **\$1.25**
- 36-inch Breakfast Cloth, **90c**
- Pillowslips, stamped for embroidery, pair, **95c**

Art Needlework Shop—Second Floor.

Extra Special! \$4.00

Reduction in price for a limited time on the

National Pressure Cooker

House Furnishing Shop—Basement.

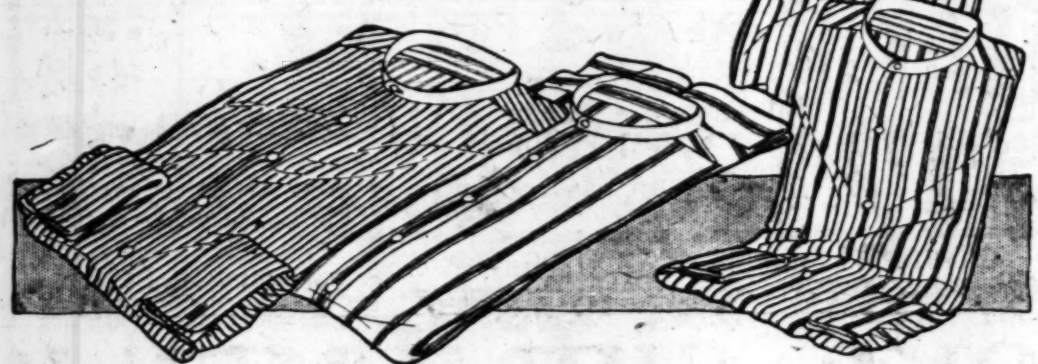
Beginning at 8:30 Tomorrow an Important Sale of 1800 Men's Fine Shirts!

Regularly **\$1.50** and **\$2.00**—Special **\$1** Sizes **14 to 17 1/2**

A Special Purchase in which the manufacturer offered us great price concessions enables us to offer you the opportunity to buy exceptionally well-made, full-cut Shirts at the small price of \$1.00 each. When you see these Shirts you will realize that they are among the greatest values we have offered this season. We advise early shopping, as the demand is sure to be unprecedented.

These Shirts are made of madras and fine count percales in a wide range of patterns.

Men's Furnishing Shop—First Floor.



Just Received a Carload of Sewing Machines

A full car of high-grade machines made by the Free Sewing Machine Co. Included are Cabinet and Four-Drawer models, every one brand-new. New attachments with every machine. Guaranteed. Liberal allowance for your old machine. Early shopping strongly advised.

- \$80 Cabinet reduced to... **\$59.00**
- \$70 4-Drawer reduced to... **\$49.00**
- \$45 4-Drawer reduced to... **\$29.00**
- \$55 Elec. Portable reduced to... **\$39.00**

Terms \$5.00 Down—Balance Monthly

Hemstitching While You Wait. Sewing Machine Shop—Basement.

August Sale of Bathroom Fixtures

Supply Your Needs Now at These Special Prices

- \$1.75 Wall Soap Dish—Nickel plated, with drainer **\$1.25**
- \$1.00 Towel Arms—Nickel plated, two-arm **75c**
- \$2.00 Toilet Paper Holder—Nickel plated **\$1.49**
- 50c Robe Hook or Towel Hook—Nickel plated **60c**
- 50c Water Bag Hook—Nickel plated **50c**
- Towel Bars—White enameled, extra heavy, round corners.
 - \$2.00 18-inch length **\$2.59**
 - \$2.50 24-inch length **\$2.79**
 - \$4.25 30-inch length **\$3.00**
 - \$5.25 36-inch length **\$4.15**
- Towel Bars—White enameled, heavy standards.
 - \$2.50 12-inch length **\$4.25**
 - \$2.75 18-inch length **\$4.50**
 - \$6.00 24-inch length **\$4.75**
 - \$6.75 30-inch length **\$5.25**
 - \$9.00 36-inch length **\$6.50**
- \$2.50 Toilet Paper Holder—Extra heavy, lock roll **\$4.25**
- \$1.25 Large Robe Hook—Nickel plated **95c**
- \$6.00 Bath Stools—White enameled with back **\$4.89**
- \$1.00 Stand Soap Dish—Nickel plated **75c**
- \$1.50 Tumbler and Tooth Brush Holder—White enameled **\$2.69**
- \$2.00 Stand Soap Dish—White enameled **\$1.69**
- \$4.00 Swinging Towel Arm—Nickel plated, four-arm **\$5.00**
- \$4.25 Tumbler and Tooth Brush Holder—White enameled **\$3.49**
- \$2.50 Toilet Paper Holder—White enameled **\$1.95**
- \$25.00 Bathroom Mirrors—White oval, enameled frame, size 16x24 inches **\$19.75**
- \$30.00 Round Mirror—White enameled frame, 24-inch size **\$27.50**
- \$3.00 Bath Tub Seats—White Enameled Soap Dishes—ber covered ends **\$2.49**
- \$7.50 Toilet Stands—White enameled **\$6.50**
- Samples of extra heavy Hand Rails, crystal or opal, 1/4 price.
 - \$3.50 Massage Bath Sprays **\$1.25**
 - \$3.50 Knickerbocker Bath Sprays **\$2.50**
 - White Enameled Soap Dishes—Regularly 95c Now 75c
 - White Enameled Soap Dishes—Regularly 95c Now 75c
 - White Enameled Tumbler Holders—Regularly 95c now **75c**

Housefurnishing Shop—Basement.

Free Developing of Cartridge Films

Photograph Enlargement Size 5x7. Black and white finish. Regularly 50c. Special 25c.

Bring in your favorite negatives and let us enlarge them for you. Kodak Shop—First Floor.

Men's Pure Silk Knitted Ties

Regularly \$2.50, \$3.00, \$3.50—Now **\$1.35 or 3 for \$4.00**

All these handsome Ties are hand-framed. The colors are very desirable. This is an exceptional opportunity to replenish your supplies of high-grade neckwear at a small cost.

Men's Pure Silk Hose

Regularly 75c to \$1.25—Special, **50c**

Some of these Hose are slightly irregular in weave. Colors are black and brown.

Men's Straw Hats

At **1/2 Price**

Every Straw Hat in our large and attractive stock now offered at this drastic reduction. Plenty of hot weather before us in which to wear them.

Men's Athletic Union Suits

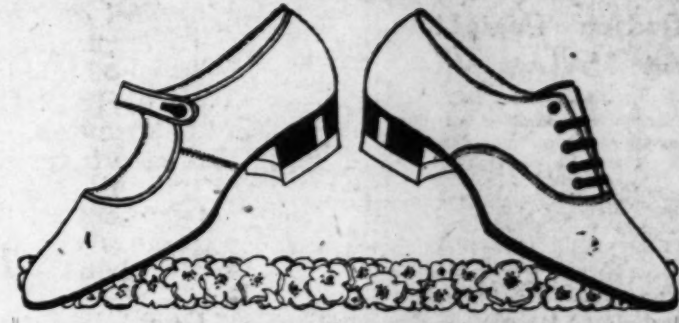
Regularly \$1, \$1.25, \$1.50—Special, **75c**

Made of nainsook, madras and fine mesh cloth. Sizes 36 to 50. Men's Furnishing Shop—First Floor.



Electric Irons 6-Lb. Size, Special, \$3.95

Complete with cord and plug, fully guaranteed. Electric Shop—Basement. P. S. Let us send an American Suction Cleaner to your home for free trial.



Women's Comfort Shoes Oxfords or Strap Slippers

Women who wish to be comfortably shod when working will appreciate this sale of Comfort Shoes, consisting of Oxfords and Strap Slippers, in black kid with low heels and turned soles. Sizes 8 1/2 to 8. Widths B to E. **\$2.95**

Basement Shoe Shop.

13-Piece Iced Tea Sets

Special **\$1.95**

Beautiful 13-piece Iced Tea or Lemonade Sets. Each Set consists of a large size covered jug, 6 sippers and 6 glasses to match. All are hand-cut in the popular primrose pattern, on the very clearest of glass. We advise early shopping. Glassware Shop—Fourth Floor.

Specially Priced TOYS

For Tiny Tots



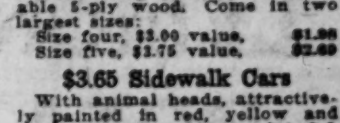
Man o' War This unusual toy has a great appeal to children. Can be propelled either backward or forward by the hand; regular \$3.99 value, specially priced at **\$3.98**



The Three-wheeler Three-passenger sidewalk car. The parts that most unusual strain are made of 1 1/2" wood; regular \$10.00 value, specially priced at **\$7.50**



Bye-Bye Bye Made of practically unbreakable 1 1/2" ply wood. Come in two largest sizes: Size four, \$1.99 value, \$1.98; Size five, \$2.75 value, \$2.69



\$3.65 Sidewalk Car With animal heads, attractively painted in red, yellow and blue, strongly made. **\$1.98** at Toy Shop—Basement.

August Sale Floorcoverings

We are offering Rugs at such low prices this week, that they should make this Sale one of the most successful we have ever had. It will pay anyone to come in and look them over.

- \$89.00 and \$90.00 Wilton Rugs. Seamed and seamless Rugs, all with fringed ends, and in all the desired colors and patterns. **\$73.50**
- \$75.00 Seamless Wilton Rugs. Size 9x12, with heavy fringed ends. **\$63.75**

- \$29.75 Mourzouk Rugs at **\$23.75** Imported Belgian Rugs, size 9 by 12.
- \$21.65 Mourzouk Rugs at **\$17.65** Imported Belgian Rugs, 7 1/2 by 10 1/2.
- \$14.90 Mourzouk Rugs at **\$11.90** Imported Belgian Rugs, size 6 by 9.
- \$69.00 Chinese Rugs for **\$49.00** Size 4 by 7, in Blue, Tan, Rose and Blue.

- \$266.00 Chinese Rugs **\$194.00** Size 9 by 12 Rug, in beautiful patterns.
- \$5.50 Velvet Throw Rugs for **\$4.10** Size 27 by 54.
- \$3.50 Grass Rugs for **\$1.75** Size 3 by 6.
- \$3.00 Velvet Carpet and Stair Carpets for **\$2.45**
- \$2.25, \$2.35 and \$2.50 Linoleum for **\$1.74** Inlaid with tile, wood and block effect.
- \$1.10 Cork Base Print Linoleum for **84c** In 12 1/2 wide goods.



Rug Shop—Fourth Floor

Again We Offer a Limited Number of These Popular Genuine Victrolas

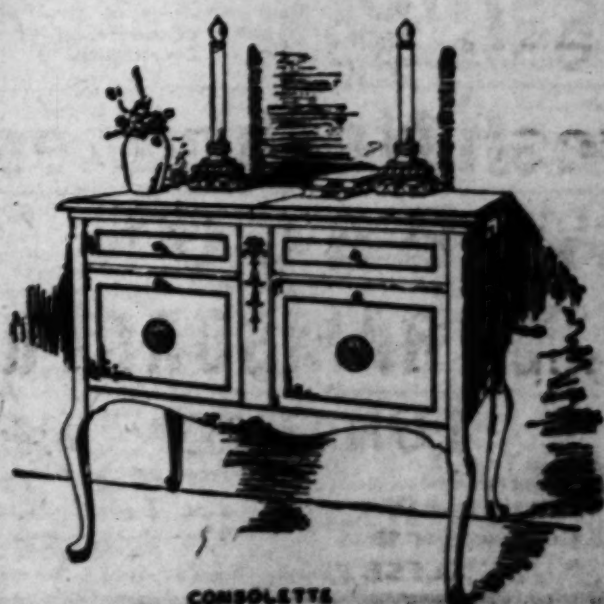
In a Special Console Cabinet of Vandervoort's Own Designs

Regular \$125.00, **\$89** Special, Now

Terms \$5 Down—\$5 Month

Rich brown mahogany or walnut finishes. A genuine Victrola in this attractive Vandervoort design cabinet—the privilege of adding records to your collection—and the assurance that this is the greatest value in years—make this offer especially attractive tomorrow! Remember—Only a limited quantity—so place your order early.

Victrola Shop—Third Floor.



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Tickets good on all trains to Chicago for all Wabash trains leaving Saturday, August 18. Good in free all-night sleeping chair cars. Also in parlor and sleeping cars at usual Pullman charges. Children half fare. Baggage checked.

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The swelling leading testimony is for the use of every member of the family because the same properties that make it an effective for skin troubles, make it ideal for

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At all druggists.

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Apply Zemo, the Antiseptic Liquid—Easy to Use.

From any druggist for 25c, or \$1.00 for large size, get a bottle of Zemo. When applied as directed it effectively removes Eczema, quickly stops itching, and heals skin troubles, also Sore, Burns, Chaps and Chafing. It penetrates, cleanses and soothes. Eczema is a clean, dependable and inexpensive, antiseptic liquid. Try it, as we believe nothing you have ever used is so effective and satisfying.

HUNGARY IN NEED OF HELP AT ONCE, ITS PREMIER SAYS

Financial Situation Will Not Permit Temporizing, Bethlen Declares—Hopes Little Entente May Aid.

By a Staff Correspondent of the Hungarian Guardian, the Post-Dispatch and the New York World.

BUDAPEST, Aug. 12.—"If Hungary is to be helped to save herself, there is no time to lose," Premier Bethlen said in an interview.

"It is now 16 days since the Little Entente discussed our fate, but we are in the dark even regarding the accuracy of press reports. That is one of the many disadvantages of being only one of the belligerents in the international tennis match. However, I hope our neighbors have taken the same common sense, friendly attitude which was adopted in the case of Austria, although, according to press communiques issued at St. Paul and interviews of Little Entente statesmen, Hungary cannot be regarded in the same light as Austria, because we are supposed to have failed in fulfilling our treaty provisions.

"I hoped it would be realized that Hungary knew that with her undiminished resources she could exist as an economic unit only if she was on proper terms with her neighbors in this desire for a common understanding. I am looking forward to meeting Premier Benes of Czechoslovakia and to discussing with him on a friendly basis the outstanding matters between the two countries, which, with good will and common sense on both sides, should present no serious difficulty.

"The present Hungarian financial situation will not permit temporizing. The League of Nations council meets on Aug. 21 and unless between now and then the Reparations Commission can reach a decision, Hungary will have lost for some months any opportunity to obtain the assistance of the League's Finance Committee."

Questioned about the effect of German collapse on Hungary, Count Bethlen said:

"If this winter the Ruhr question is not solved by America and England, I am afraid serious social upheavals can be expected in Central Europe."

BRITAIN ASKED TO SETTLE DISPUTE OVER HOLY CARPET

Egypt and the Hedjaz in Controversy Over Doctors Accompanying Pilgrims to Mecca.

By the Associated Press.

CAIRO, July 14.—King Faud of Egypt is having a lively conflict with his brother ruler, King Hussein of the Hedjaz, over the Holy Carpet. This does not mean that Faud has Hussein "on the carpet" for any cause. It simply means that the Egyptian monarch insists that a detachment of Egyptian doctors shall accompany the annual pilgrimage of the faithful with their Holy Carpet to Mecca. Hussein argues that the Hedjaz produces excellent doctors of its own and he desires no Egyptian importations. No settlement of the controversy is in sight, and King Hussein has appealed to Great Britain for a solution.

At the season of the annual pilgrimage to Mecca the Egyptian Government habitually organizes a considerable medical detachment to assure the welfare of the pilgrims on their trying journey. This year the usual course was followed and the equivalent of the personnel of 20 field hospitals was enlisted. King Hussein, however, suddenly declared against the Egyptian physicians.

Egypt holds a high card in its hand in the dispute in the fact that the Holy Carpet, an indispensable feature of the Mecca ceremonies, resides in a Cairo mosque. The flat, therefore, has gone forth. "No doctors, no carpet." The subject has aroused the whole of the two countries and has become the subject of formal diplomatic representations.

21 STATES BUILDING ROADS THAT WILL COST \$288,000,000

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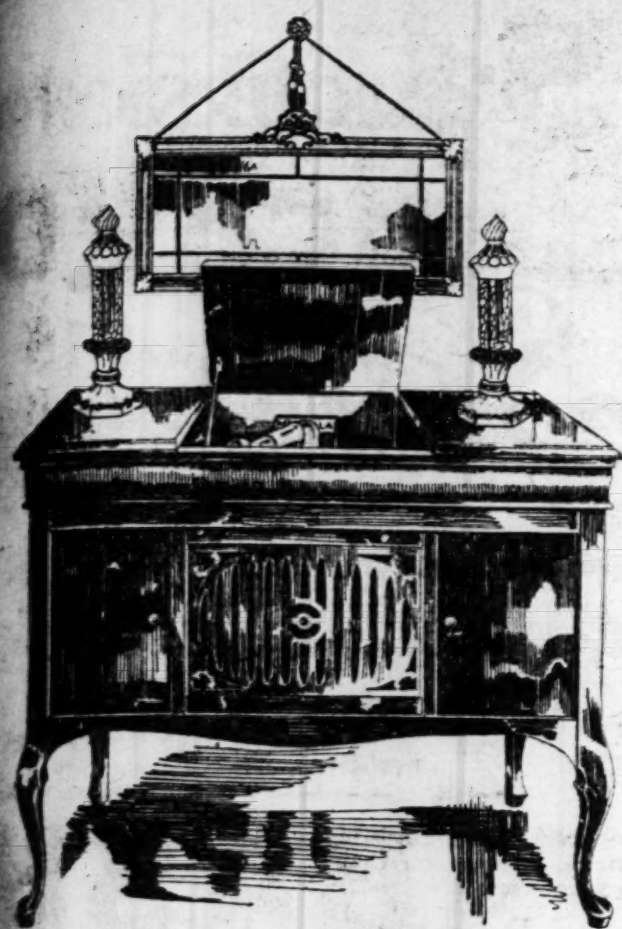
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MAN BERGDOLL SHOT SAID TO BE A SWISS

Draft Evader Also Wounded an American Resident of Paris in Resisting Kidnaping.

By the Associated Press.

BERGACH, Germany, Aug. 12.—The man who was shot and killed Saturday by Grover Cleveland Bergdoll, the American draft evader, has been identified as a Swiss named Karl Schmidt of Lausanne, and the man wounded is said to be Roger Sperber, an American resident of Paris.

Leut. Griffith said to be an American, Ernst Gagarin, Russian, and Eugene Nelson, supposed to be an American, who were seated in an automobile outside the hotel in one of the rooms of which Bergdoll used his automatic pistol to save himself from being kidnaped, are under arrest here. Others under arrest are Roger Sperber, a French detective, and John Nelson, an American chauffeur.

Bergdoll several days ago returned to Eberbach from Switzerland to meet his mother, who had arrived from the United States. He again took up his residence in a local hotel where he had been living during the past three years until he went to Switzerland.

The local authorities assert that Bergdoll had been watched closely for several days by strangers living in his hotel. They expressed the belief that a plot to kidnap the man who is wanted by the United States Government had been carefully planned and financed. Rope ladders, black-jacks and a supply of opiates are said to have been found in the possession of the men under arrest. The automobile in which it is believed Bergdoll was to have been taken off is described as a former American army car.

Local feeling is running high against the men under arrest. Bergdoll continues to be popular with the natives. The populace is declared to be doubly resentful over the alleged renewed attempt to kidnap Bergdoll, as the first attempt, made two years ago, in which a German woman was wounded, by a man alleged to be an American detective, is still fresh in their memory.

The American embassy has not been informed officially of the Bergdoll incident in Eberbach. The belief is expressed here that the Baden government, through the German Foreign Office, will protest formally against the alleged attempt to kidnap Bergdoll. The German press refers to the incident as "a violation of German sovereignty."

Dr. Schlumm, Attorney-General of Baden, has requested the police authorities to submit a report for the purpose of determining the Government's further procedure.

The police claim to have sufficient evidence to prove that the assailants intended to make an attempt on Bergdoll's life. Schmidt and Sperber are said to have been in possession of exact plans of Bergdoll's apartment. Immediately after the shooting Bergdoll requested the police to search the vicinity for waiting automobiles.

Bergdoll said last night that he had expected to return to the United States with his mother on Sept. 27, but that last Saturday's effort to kidnap him made him hesitate about doing so.

Mrs. Bergdoll was not in the hotel when the attempt was made to seize her son. Bergdoll has not been arrested but has made a formal statement to the police.

The German police say that Sperber, who was wounded twice during the clash, has informed them that Griffith engaged him in Paris two months ago to arrange the kidnaping, telling him that an American organization was financing the affair.

NEW MONETARY SYSTEM TO REPLACE PAPER IN RUSSIA

Actual Values in Gold Basis of New Currency Being Issued.

By the Associated Press.

MOSCOW, July 21.—Russia is gradually working into a new monetary system, based upon actual values in gold or negotiable securities, which promises soon to eliminate the billions of paper rubles now flooding the country.

At the present time a dual monetary system prevails, the one based upon the new standard, the other upon paper emission.

The new money, known as "cherovonets," the old Russian name for gold pieces, is paper currency issued by the state bank in units equal in value to 10 gold rubles of the pre-war issue, and supposedly redeemable in gold upon presentation.

Silver coins, in ruble and fractional denominations, have been minted, but not yet issued. The financial authorities are awaiting the time when "cherovonets" are in general circulation to issue the silver money which will replace the present ruble paper as fractions of the state-bank notes.

TO DEDICATE LIBRARY ON BEE

By the Associated Press.

MADISON, Wis., Aug. 13.—A library of books on the bee will be dedicated at the Wisconsin College of Agriculture here today, and beekeepers from every State in the Union, from Canada and from a number of foreign countries are here to take part.

The library is known as the Miller Memorial Library of Bee Literature, and was established in memory of Dr. C. C. Miller of Marengo, Ill., who for more than 50 years advanced modern methods of honey production by his writings in bee journals and talks at bee conventions. Gifts of books and journals and entire libraries have been received from many states.

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In the spring maneuvers, "enemy" fleet from across the Pacific directed any plane to the carrier. The carrier successfully attacked a base at Port Culebra, from which it was in a position to send out an air fleet against a little strip of United States territory. The *Guinevere* Was Destroyed.

In drawing up their estimate, says the critique, "both commanders considered the possibility of having the United States Navy in the Pacific and the Pacific defense force. The United States Navy in the Pacific defense force fleet commander" rejected the idea as improbable on the basis of the "enemy" fleet commander because the heavy fortifications would keep his ships at bay, even should he reduce them. It is unlikely, he would then, a submarine force, a submarine force, and an air attack overcame.

SAID TO HAVE AWAITED NAME

Norris held conferences in Mexico with the International Boundary Commission and Mexican officials relative to water rights between the United States and Mexico. Reports of the situation along the border from official sources, Norris said.

PART TWO.

SUBMARINE DEVELOPMENT AND MORE PLANES TO PROTECT CANAL URGED

Navy Department. Makes Recommendations
Based on Maneuvers of Fleet in
Panama Bay.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 13.—Various means of strengthening the defenses of the Panama Canal are suggested in an official Navy Department critique, prepared as a result of a study of last spring's maneuvers in Panama Bay.

The weaknesses of the present canal fortifications, the memorandum said, include the improper grouping of defense artillery, the lack of a sufficient air force in the canal zone, and the susceptibility of certain vital parts of the waterway to air attack. It is suggested also that the defending fleet should be balanced by the addition of scout cruisers, and that study should be made of the possibility of obtaining by treaty the right to establish aircraft bases at certain unnamed points on foreign soil near by.

In the spring maneuvers, the "enemy" fleet from across the Pacific discarded any plan to attack the canal directly, but succeeded in establishing a base at Fort Culebra, Costa Rica, from which it was in a position to send out an air fleet against the little strip of United States territory.

How Estimates Were Drawn.

In drawing up their estimates, the Navy Department considered the possibility of blocking the canal by an attack in force on the Pacific side defenses and locks. Blue (the United States defense fleet commander) rejected this idea as improbable on the part of Black (the "enemy" fleet commander) because the heavy fortifications would keep his ships at bay, and even should he reduce these, which is unlikely, he would still have, in all probability, a mine field, a submarine entrance guard, and an air attack to overcome.

Black rejected this course because, to destroy the closest locks by bombardment, or by torpedoes, ships would first have to destroy the enemy sea forces, run the gauntlet of the mines and submarines in Panama Bay and even after this were done, shore batteries would still keep their forces at a range of 16,000 yards, at which distance destruction of the locks by bombardment is hardly possible.

Both the Black and Blue commands estimated that the best chance for Black to accomplish his mission was to bomb the vital parts by means of airplanes.

This situation, coupled with other factors developed during the maneuvers, led the navy experts to reach rather definite conclusions as to the future needs of national defense in that quarter. The official critique concludes as follows:

"Some of the benefits to be gained from this problem can be summarized in certain conclusions as follows:

"There are certain well defined weaknesses in the Panama Canal defenses these are:

"Susceptibility of certain vital parts to damage by bombs carried by aircraft.

"Grouping of the coast defense artillery too close together to prevent attacking vessels which have air support from reaching positions that will permit firing on the Miraflores locks.

"Insufficient aircraft.

"Lack of sufficient aircraft in canal defenses to insure immunity from attack by enemy bombers should a base be obtained within striking distance.

"The necessity for more complete coordination between the army and navy in the use of aircraft.

"Where information is necessary, it is desirable in order that our own

forces may act intelligently this information must be disseminated even at the risk of enemy obtaining it.

"The need for improving our fleet communications, both radio and visual.

"The necessity for balancing our fleet by the addition of:

"(a) Scout cruisers.

"(b) Destroyer leaders.

"The necessity for having a sustained speed of at least 12 knots for:

"(a) Fleet submarines.

"(b) All auxiliaries that will accompany the fleet.

"The necessity of denying to any possible enemy a base within aircraft striking distance of the canal.

"The desirability of studying the question of establishing by suitable treaties, aircraft base or bases at points within striking distance of the canal.

"The necessity for looking ahead as to the probable and possible developments in submarines and aircraft.

"The performance of our 18 sea planes in making the long trip from Hampton Roads to the canal zone and then two days after arrival, all of them being in the scouting line looking for the enemy, and the performance of our submarines in making the 3000 mile trip from San Diego to the canal zone involving nearly three weeks at sea, shows the possibility of a future enemy, no matter who it might be, being able to bring to our shores both air forces and submarine forces from distances heretofore considered impracticable and the necessity for the further development of our own air and submarine forces, in order that we may adequately defend our coast and preserve the integrity of the Panama Canal, the keeping of which in operating order is a vital importance to the country."

Fleet "Disappears" From Face of the Seas in Maneuvers.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 13.—How the United States fleet, comprising more than three score naval craft, "disappeared" from the face of the seas and defied the effort of searchers operating under, over and upon the water is told in an official Navy Department critique of the Panama maneuvers.

Incidentally the document reveals that in studying the possibility of the United States being drawn into a naval war, both the army and navy general staffs proceeded on the theory that hostilities would begin without a declaration of war and would be first signaled by a terrorist attack on American soil.

The successful making of the movement of the fleet which represented the enemy force in the war game was declared by the judges to be the outstanding tactical feature of the exercises.

In order that conditions approximating those of war might be obtained, the department assumed that a diplomatic crisis had arisen with an unnamed "Power"—denoted as "Black"—while the American, or "Blue," fleet was scattered at home ports for overhaul. The attacking fleet, on its part, was called upon to actually cruise 3000 miles before reaching its objective in order that the same difficulties might be experienced as would face the theoretical enemy.

Coming from Northern ports, the defenders carried out the role of having been suddenly mobilized from their peaceful activities. One squadron of destroyers had only 50 per cent personnel when the orders came, but the crews were hastily made up from apprentices. Eighteen seaplanes were sent from Hampton Roads under their own power to Panama, and within a few hours after their arrival were in the scouting line.

MEXICAN RECOGNITION PLAN SAID TO HAVE AWAITED HARDING

Details of Agreement Reported to Have Been Known by El Paso Residents.

AUSTIN, Tex., Aug. 13.—Details of an agreement for the recognition of Mexico by the United States were completed and awaited only the return of President Harding to Washington when he was stricken in San Francisco, according to reports brought here today by John A. Norris, chairman of the Texas Board of Water Engineers, from Mexicans in El Paso.

Norris held conferences in El Paso with the International Boundary Commission and Mexican engineers relative to water rights between Texas and Mexico. Reports of the recognition plans had come to officials and others along the border from semi-official sources, Norris said.

The recognition pact had been completed and presented to President Harding for signature, according to reports to Norris. It was said that the Mexican President desired to have President Harding sign the treaty and, so final action was post-

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"No matter how you endeavor to carry on Harding's work, you are still Calvin Coolidge—a man of different blood and instincts. Harding bore the name of Gamaliel, who was the chief of the moderates of old Israel and became the teacher of Apostle Paul. Our honored friend also was a moderate, conscientiously endeavoring not to depart from the path of the majority or to offend people who make politics a profession.

"Compared With Dictator."

The church dictator, Calvin, whose name you bear, was a superlative radical who never asked whether his doctrines were pleasing to the majority. Despite the fact that he was eloquent and you are called 'Silent Cal' many regard you as similar, particularly in drastic severity. Because of your action in the Boston police strike you are compared to a dictator and with the Spanish scholar Serveto, a martyr for his views. But what was possible in 1553 is not possible in 1923. The chief representative of a great nation must enjoy universal confidence. He may not be unmodern, not satisfied with a formal democracy which respects wealth as a divine institution and threatens to become a plutocracy. The leader of a state's destinies must be the first to note the breath of a new spirit.

"Until today you were a frugal, lively Spartan from the rest of your life. Here in America one might argue that a beggar could not be sent to jail for life. But not in Rome with Mussolini running the show. What if you were a dictator to give their lives to do his bidding a little assignment like wiping out a few thousand beggars did not present any difficulties. Two days after the head of the Police Department received his orders, he wasn't a beggar on the streets in Rome. And when one does appear he gets the 'bums' rush' so quick that he doesn't resist his indignation.

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Whoever owes the United States money, must pay. We shall grant time, but shall regard as insolent any suggestion that we ought to be satisfied with having been permitted to participate in the World War and pay our associates' cost of material and training. America must first of all be the paternal hearth for all Americans, but also a great Power in the moral world. You must see to it that pure morals rule at home and you must not be 'Cool Cal' who looks calmly on while hypocrisy and childish illusion sullies the nation's public trade. The millions of citizens who gave us our mandate believe in our promise to give the United States its proper place in the council of nations. The Washington disarmament conference was the first step toward this; the second shall be the international court.

"That churches, chambers of commerce, trusts and clubs advocate this is cheering, but they must not believe this can be made into a machine for facilitating trade and serving the big interests. Since we must have high tariff and few imports, cheap wages made by under-paid labor are undesirable. We may not expect that we can sell to Europe that 10 per cent of our production which is available for export. Our battle cry 'America for Americans' presupposes that Americans work for America first. We cannot and will not be uninterested in Europe, for we must preserve the treasure of our culture of all white races and also prevent our debtors from ruining themselves. If all nations in Europe will unite and engage in the preservation of Europe for a generation, they may reckon on our help; otherwise not."

ROME FREE OF BEGGARS AND HAS GAY NIGHT LIFE UNDER MUSSOLINI'S RULE

Tipping in Hotels and Restaurants Abolished
by Italian Dictator—Objectors Get
Big Dose of Castor Oil.

By KARL K. KITCHEN.
A Special Correspondent of the
Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, Aug. 13.—Before Mussolini became the dictator the night life of Rome was of two varieties. For the visitor it consisted in figuring up how much he was "out" from being robbed, cheated and short-changed during the day. For the native it consisted in figuring up how much he was "in" from robbing, cheating and short-changing visitors during the diurnal period.

There was no capital in Europe in which a visitor was robbed, cheated and short-changed as brazenly and repeatedly—not to mention the assaults of beggars—as he was in the capital of Italy before Premier Mussolini and his black-shirted Fascisti appeared upon the scene.

I know whereof I speak, because on a previous visit, not only was my trunk stolen, but I was cheated, short-changed and annoyed by beggars to such an exasperating extent that I vowed I would never visit the Eternal City again. And the dirty streets with their choice collection of smells did not make the vow difficult to keep. Despite the obvious splendors of its decay, the Romans were simply the unregenerate janitors of the ruins left by their illustrious ancestors.

However, with the Fascisti on the job, I heard such glowing reports of the new Rome Mussolini had reincarnated that I broke my vow and returned to Rome. I could not resist the temptation to see how the new Rome was doing.

Imagine my surprise when I found that all these glowing reports were true.

While the new and delightful Rome that the visitor discovers today. Not only are the streets clean and the smells deodorized but—marvel of marvels—there is not a single beggar in the city. The beggars have been changed except on one occasion, and a report of that one happening to a Fascist captain not only restored the trivial sum that a taxi driver had tried to get away with but resulted in a castor oil treatment for the offender.

From which it will be seen that there is something new under the sun, and that the hot Roman sun is at that.

Mussolini "Cleaned Up."

Soon after Mussolini became all powerful in Italy he decided to "clean up" the city. The first thing he did was to order every beggar, young or old, to be put in jail for life. But not in Rome with Mussolini running the show. What if you were a dictator to give their lives to do his bidding a little assignment like wiping out a few thousand beggars did not present any difficulties. Two days after the head of the Police Department received his orders, he wasn't a beggar on the streets in Rome. And when one does appear he gets the 'bums' rush' so quick that he doesn't resist his indignation.

Even the beggars who paid for the privilege of sitting on the Tiber bridges leading to the Vatican, were sent to jail for life. Here in America one might argue that a beggar could not be sent to jail for life. But not in Rome with Mussolini running the show. What if you were a dictator to give their lives to do his bidding a little assignment like wiping out a few thousand beggars did not present any difficulties. Two days after the head of the Police Department received his orders, he wasn't a beggar on the streets in Rome. And when one does appear he gets the 'bums' rush' so quick that he doesn't resist his indignation.

Whoever owes the United States money, must pay. We shall grant time, but shall regard as insolent any suggestion that we ought to be satisfied with having been permitted to participate in the World War and pay our associates' cost of material and training. America must first of all be the paternal hearth for all Americans, but also a great Power in the moral world. You must see to it that pure morals rule at home and you must not be 'Cool Cal' who looks calmly on while hypocrisy and childish illusion sullies the nation's public trade. The millions of citizens who gave us our mandate believe in our promise to give the United States its proper place in the council of nations. The Washington disarmament conference was the first step toward this; the second shall be the international court.

"That churches, chambers of commerce, trusts and clubs advocate this is cheering, but they must not believe this can be made into a machine for facilitating trade and serving the big interests. Since we must have high tariff and few imports, cheap wages made by under-paid labor are undesirable. We may not expect that we can sell to Europe that 10 per cent of our production which is available for export. Our battle cry 'America for Americans' presupposes that Americans work for America first. We cannot and will not be uninterested in Europe, for we must preserve the treasure of our culture of all white races and also prevent our debtors from ruining themselves. If all nations in Europe will unite and engage in the preservation of Europe for a generation, they may reckon on our help; otherwise not."

dict its failure. For the majority of travelers like to reward good service whenever they get it. And the custom of tipping is so universal that it seems impossible to abolish by ukase.

However, Mussolini's word is law. He used to live at the Grand Hotel, and he knows what he is doing. And it must not be forgotten that he has a bunch of black shirts to administer large and frequent doses of castor oil to any or all who object to his failings. A life of castor oil, followed by a firm mile walk without a halt, is apt to revise one's opinion of tipping—so that at the present writing the "no-tip" rule is more or less enforced. At least, a visitor can leave his hotel without giving a single gratuity—something that was impossible before the Fascist march on Rome.

In addition to these innovations and improvements, Mussolini has transformed Rome into one of the gayest capitals in Europe. Not only is the street alive with colorful uniforms during the day—the Fascist regime believes in having lots of soldiers in evidence to overawe the Communists—but the ancient city now has a new "night life."

Surprising Night Life.

To be sure, the night life of Rome is a very tame affair compared with Montmartre or the after midnight gaiety in Madrid. But as there was practically no night life before Mussolini rose to power—at least as far as gilded cafes, supper clubs and attractive rendezvous for the demimonde were concerned—the new nocturnal activity is all the more surprising.

On my previous visits to Rome—both before and after the war—the only place where I could find a small beer at the Cafe Nazionale in the Corso—Rome's White Way—and a couple of glasses of wine at the Cafe Faragita. For it must be remembered that the capital of Italy, despite its traditional greatness, is a small city. In fact, there are more Italians in the old New York than there are in Rome and all its suburbs. And until recently there was no public dancing in any of the Italian cities. In Rome, even cabarets being unknown. Outside of its big hotels there were less than half a dozen first-class restaurants and no after midnight rendezvous except in two cheap music halls.

But today Rome not only boasts of several of the finest restaurants in Europe, but two of the most important "supper clubs" in the world. While most of the restaurants were in existence before Mussolini became Premier, the "supper clubs" are opened only a few months ago. One of them, the Bragaglia, does not open until 2 a. m.—from which it will be seen that Rome is at last waking up to itself.

A few years ago the Ristorante de Castello and Ceasari, overlooking the Appian Way, was the best restaurant in Rome. Today, despite the new terrace, it has a formidable rival in the Casino Valadier, also called the Pincio, where one cannot only dine superbly but dance in the open air to a wonderful jazz band. A Bacio a Capretto alla Cacciatora, a veal young lamb and sucking goat cut into small pieces and cooked with a sauce to which anchovies and chilies give the dominant taste, is an event at the Pincio. And its vegetable terrine, green peas cooked with butter and ham and the Roman artichoke stewed in oil—revise one's opinion about the Italian cuisine. With Pasticcio di Maccheroni, an excellent macaroni pie, Tuscan tongue, rich cake, soured in figs and vanilla cream, covered with meringue and baked, a dinner at the Pincio, if washed down with Fascist wine, is apt to make one proud to wait for the moment at any rate. At least, I have inside information to that effect.

Dancing on Marble Floor.

The open air dancing place at the Casino Valadier has a marble floor. It is as "fast" as any wicked hard wood floor in America and much better ventilated. With a full moon shining through the trees that surround it on all sides, it is the last word in tango sanctuaries.

It is at the Bonboniere, a new after-midnight rendezvous, that you will see the new night life of Rome. At this "Candy Box," to translate its name, you will see the "bloody" of the Eternal City and their light of love. It is a most attractive room, with a marble floor, a mirror of fact, and if one does not care to purchase its water colors there are excellent dry champagne. A jazz band plays so long as the bar is unhampered by closing regulations.

Personally, I prefer the Bonboniere, with its charming furnishings, to the Bragaglia, which is decorated in ecstasie fashion. But it is the custom to wind up the evening there, after one has exhausted the possibilities of the "Candy Box." Either of the "night clubs" would be a distinct addition to Broadway. Before Mussolini permitted these establishments to flourish, the only place open to the Romans, which is decorated in ecstasie fashion, was at the Apollo, an alleged music hall frequented by battle-scarred members of the dear, un-

RUSSO-JAPANESE OVERTURES SAID TO HAVE HIT SNAG

Illness of Dr. Joffe, Soviet
Envoy, Prevents Pour-
parlers, but Leaves Door
Open.

JAPANESE DESIRE SIBERIA'S TRADE

Recognition of Russia by
Japan, However, Has
Clearly Been Deferred at
Least for the Present.

Special Wireless to the Post-Dispatch
and Chicago Daily News.
(Copyright, 1923.)

TOKIO, Aug. 13.—The first chapter in the efforts of Japan and Russia toward settlement of their problems and possible resumption of diplomatic relations has ended with the departure for Moscow of Dr. Joffe, the Soviet envoy.

Sudden termination of the pour-parlers in progress between the two countries is attributed to the illness of Joffe. His condition is serious as attested by the fact that he was carried aboard his train on a stretcher. He has been confined to his bed throughout the negotiations.

Close observers, however, are convinced that the longer the negotiations continued, the more differences in the policies of the two governments were emphasized. Their sudden termination is regarded as a step to prevent a possible rupture before a more formal conference is held.

While the pour-parlers were merely for the purpose of outlining a conference program and to define issues, the result has really been to establish a distinct line across which neither Government was willing to cross. Every proposal concerning Northern Saghalien Island was unsatisfactory.

Japan Eager for Siberian Trade.

Japan is eager to gain "favorable" treatment in Siberia and is willing to concede much, an attitude which led many to believe that recognition of the Soviet government was inevitable. However, conservative Government officials have realized that friendly actions toward Russia are fraught with dangerous features in view of the attitude of Western Powers. For that reason it is not believed that Japan is willing to risk disfavor with the allies merely to gain commercial advantages. Moreover, those who most strongly favor Soviet recognition are those who are interested financially. Contentions that a majority of the Japanese are in favor of recognition are false.

The Japanese public mind has passed through three stages since the arrival in Tokio of Dr. Joffe.

The first stage was one of unreasonable enthusiasm, the second that of doubtful skepticism and the third uncertain interest. Undoubtedly the forces favoring recognition are much smaller than at first. Remaining advocates, however, are persistently hopeful and continue to make predictions of speedy action.

The desire of Japan to remain on friendly terms with the Moscow government is reasonable, since Russia is an important factor in the future of the Orient, but recognition is believed unnecessary in order to cultivate the Soviets who are outlawed among world Powers and who have everything to gain by an alliance with Japan. The formal conference between the two countries is expected to convene soon, when a final showdown will be necessary.

CIVIC FEDERATION TO PUBLISH INFORMATION ON ECONOMIC AND POLITICAL MOVEMENTS

John Hays Hammond Accepts Chairmanship of
New Department—Communism in This
Country to Be Reported Upon.

By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Aug. 13.—Alton B. Parker, president of the National Civic Federation, today announced organization of a department of Current Economic and Political Movements, the chairmanship of which has been accepted by John Hays Hammond.

The Federation, in starting this work, Parker states, recognizes the growing confusion in the public mind resulting from erroneous information upon economic and political subjects; the lack of a widespread understanding of the principles underlying representative government, and the failure of citizens generally to fulfill their obligation to participate in practical politics.

It will be the aim of the department to place its material before the people.

Four General Subjects.

Instead of attempting to establish educational branches throughout the country, the department will reach the people by means of existing organizations.

The general subjects on which information will be furnished by the department are: Revolutionary movements, industrial relations, principles of representative government, and civil liberties.

A statement issued by the Federation says:

"A striking illustration of the importance of educating the voters on vital public questions is furnished by the recent Farmer-Labor Party convention at Chicago which split definitely on the issue as to whether 'radical reforms' should be obtained by the ballot or by revolution and force, only the Communist delegates favoring the latter. Any organization which advocates bringing about such a change in the government is radical in character, is clearly within its constitutional rights.

"At the moment, many of our citizens are confused over the declared purpose of the Russian Soviets and their numerous affiliations in this country to effect the forcible overthrow of our Government. While all the forces of civilization are working to prevent this, the chosen representatives of the people in Congress and the various State Legislatures, making it imperative that our most honest and intelligent men and women be sent to those bodies. This, in turn, emphasizes the importance of the plan for educating the voters to perform their full political duties as citizens of the United States of America.

"All social and political reforms demanded by the various noncommunist movements, as well as many of those enumerated in the outline of the Department on Current Economic and Political Movements, call for legislative remedy. Such legislation, however, could become effective only after the voters have been educated to understand the issues at stake. This, in turn, emphasizes the importance of the plan for educating the voters to perform their full political duties as citizens of the United States of America."

capture, there is an adequate and well-organized defense. This is evidenced by the recent action of the United Mine Workers of America in ordering the expulsion of all members accepting the doctrine of communism; by the action of the American Federation of Labor in threatening to cancel the charter of any local establishing relations with the Third International, and also by its refusal to affiliate with the European labor movement, not only because of the latter's advocacy of the general strike in case even of a defensive war, but also because of its demand for 'nationalization or internationalization of all basic industries.'

Further, in other fields—certain religious and semireligious organizations, educational institutions, philanthropic and social agencies and so forth—there is no such vigorous defense.

Pacific Campaigns.

"Again, there are organizations promoting the idea that all supporters of adequate national defenses are militarists and advocates of war. At any rate, opponents of peace. They are vigorously urging Congress to reduce to a minimum all appropriations for national defense. Some of them even calling for complete disarmament.

"Also, we find organizations engaged in promoting the idea that statutes providing for the punishment of those who, by speech or writing, wound injury to society or individuals, violate the constitutional provisions guaranteeing freedom of speech, press and assembly. One purpose of that agitation is to bring about the repeal of such statutes, thus crippling the power of the State to protect its citizens from danger to the public peace.

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OBREGON COMMENTS THE SLAYER OF VILLA

Says Salas' Confession Was "a
High-Spirited Act" and Inti-
mates Trial at Chihuahua.

By the Associated Press.

MEXICO CITY, Aug. 13.—The confession of Jesus Salas, member of the Durango Legislature, of the assassination of Francisco Villa, former bandit leader, was a "high-spirited act," President Obregon declared at a conference with newspaper men Sunday night.

Salas is being held a prisoner in Mexico since his arrest following receipt of a letter in which he boasted of killing Obregon's son. Villa's numerous victims. It is understood he will be taken to Chihuahua and tried by the State court.

Asked what would become of the confession, Salas said he was now tilling the land dominated by the former bandit chief prior to his assassination. The President asserted they would not be molested by the Government. These men had been given the land by the Government, the President added, and the "legal effect" of their holding would not be disturbed. Reports that trouble was threatening at Camillo, the Villa holdings, were denied by Obregon.

Referring to the political situation, the President declared that the Government had not yet received official news that Gen. Plutarco Elias Calles, chief of Cabinet and Secretary of the Interior, would become a candidate for President in 1924. Murat friends had informed him that Gen. Calles intended to resign his Government post to start a campaign, but he did not believe Calles would begin his campaign immediately, as the nominating conventions and elections were many months away.

Rice leaving San Francisco, would be seen under a minute operation. Gen. Calles has spent considerable time at the hacienda of his son at Soledad de Mota, in the State of Tamaulipas. This temporary residence has since become a nucleus for political leaders.

GREEK SHIPS TO REMOVE REFUGEES AT CONSTANTINOPLE

Near East Relief to Stop Feeding Them on Aug. 15, Athens Is Notified.

By the Associated Press.

ATHENS, Aug. 13.—Greek ships have sailed from Piraeus to bring back all the Greek refugees from Constantinople, as the American State Department, through the American charge, Ray Atherton, notified the Greek Government that the Near East Relief would cease feeding refugees in Constantinople, Aug. 15. The Greek Government, which had been delaying the evacuation, pending the exchange of Greek and Turk populations under the Lausanne treaty, immediately arranged to bring 1000 refugees to Saloniki and 1000 to Athens.

RUNS ON BEER PLATFORM

By the Associated Press.

CHICAGO, Aug. 13.—State Representative Lee O'Hall Browne launched his campaign for Governor on the Delinquent ticket on a platform of beer and light wines at a picnic of the Fourteenth Ward Democratic Club here yesterday.

The club indulged him, as well as Charles D. Harrison to succeed the late John W. Rainey in Congress from the Fourth District.

"Prohibition is not a failure," Browne declared in announcing the platform on which he will make his gubernatorial bid. "It is a grim and ghastly tragedy—a travesty on all decency.

"I am for a return of light wines and beer. I want to see the United States Government manufacture them so we can be sure they are as 'kick' as drink."

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Tuesday, \$3.25
Centers of sanitary cotton, covered with silkline. Size 7x7 1/2 inches.

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\$4.50 Value, \$3.15
Pair. Sanitary feather-filled Pillows, covered with fancy striped ticking. Size 20x16 inches.

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Bleached seamless Sheets, size 81x90 inches, each with original mill ticket. Strongly dyed with deep hem. Limit of four to a buyer.

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36-inch Dress Voiles, light and dark grounds with neat printed floral. Paisley and Persian designs.
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Extra heavy bleached Turkish Towels, size 24x40 inches. Hemmed and with pink or blue border. Limit of 6. Seconds of 66c grade, each 38c

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CHINESE GIRL STUDENT TRIES TO KILL SELF IN KANSAS CITY

Preferred Death to Returning to
China From North Carolina
University.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Aug. 13.—
Rather than return to her native
land, Yui Tsz Lien, 22 years old,
Chinese, a student at the University
of North Carolina, tried to kill her-
self by leaping from a second-story
window of the Scarritt Bible and
Training School here yesterday.
She was taken to a local hospital,

suffering with a broken elbow and
lacerations on her face and head.
Swathed in bandages, she de-
clared she was reconciled to return
to China.

"But," she said, "I wanted so
much to finish my education here."
Yui Tsz Lien came to Kansas City
Saturday with Miss L. J. Tuttle of
Morganton, N. C., who was to give
her charge today into the care of
Miss May Hixon, another missionary,
who was to take her to Shanghai.
Miss Tuttle said Yui Tsz Lien had
been working for a degree as Doctor
of Philosophy at the university and
had shown unusual ability.

CAPTURING AN ARMY BY GASSING IT TO SLEEP SEEN AS POSSIBILITY OF FUTURE

Strip of Ground Could Be Saturated With Chem-
icals So as to Protect Lines, Col.
Bacon Declares.

By the Associated Press.
NEW YORK, Aug. 13.—Whole
armies put to sleep and taken pris-
oner in gas warfare will be by no

means an impossibility 25 years
hence, Col. Raymond F. Bacon,
chief of the Technical Division of
the Chemical Warfare Service,
American Expeditionary Force, says
in a description of the possibilities
of the future art of war made public
today by the American Chemical
Society.

The money spent on the research
organization did more toward win-
ning the war, Col. Bacon asserts,
than any other \$200,000,000 spent
in other ways. One of the greatest
lessons of the war has gone almost
unheeded, according to Col. Bacon,
Protection for Flanks.

"To say the use of gas in war-
fare must be abolished is almost the
same as saying that no progress
must be made in the art of war-
fare toward making it more effi-
cient or more humane. If one reads
of the great battles of history, he
finds that the victorious General
conquered his enemy usually be-
cause he so chose his position as to
have his flank protected by river,
mountain range or some naturally
strong barrier.

"Much of the strategy of these
battles consisted in maneuvering so
as to obtain the advantage of posi-
tion. With the use of gas it is pos-
sible to saturate a piece of ground
so that no troops can cross it, and
thus make an artificial barrier for
the flank or protect the lines of
communication. Moreover, these ar-
tificial barriers can be kept as bar-
riers for as short a time as the
strategy of the particular battle de-
mands. These are but hints, but
show the tremendous unexploited
possibilities of gas in warfare.

DIES FROM BURNS CAUSED BY SAPULPA OIL EXPLOSION

Frisco Engineer Caught in Sea of
Flames Which Also Burned
Woman Severely.

By the Associated Press.
TULSA, Ok., Aug. 13.—J. B.
"Josh" Coy, St. Louis & San Fran-
cisco engineer, living at Monett,
Mo., died in a Sapulpa hospital yester-
day from burns suffered Saturday
night, when a tank car of gasoline
exploded at the Walte Phillips racks
in the yards at Sapulpa.

Coy was caught in the sea of
flames that spread over the lower
end of the yard following the blast
and was burned from head to feet.
Mrs. T. B. Riggs, wife of a Frisco
brakeman, in Sapulpa, has not re-
gained consciousness. Her night
clothes were burned from her body
when the flames enveloped her
home and she raced out of the
house.

RETAIL SHOE DEALERS CONVENE

About 200 Members of Association
Register for Convention.

The Missouri Retail Shoe Dealers'
Association convened at Hotel Statler
today. About 200 members from
the State and St. Louis registered for
the convention, which will continue
through Wednesday.

Today's program includes a direc-
tors' meeting this morning and the
opening general session of the con-
vention this afternoon. This eve-
ning the members of the association
will be guests of the St. Louis Shoe
Manufacturers and Wholesalers' As-
sociation on an excursion on the
city's harbor boat, Erastus Wells.
The remaining days of the meeting
will be devoted to business sessions,
and tomorrow evening the members
will attend the style show.

Farmer, 80, Adjudged Suicide.

A Coroner's verdict of suicide was
returned at Clayton yesterday in the
case of Charles Reichardt, 80 years
old, a farmer, residing at Fee Fee
and Missouri, Bottoms road, St.
Louis County, whose body was found
early yesterday by his wife, Eva,
hanging by a clothesline from a raft-
er in a cow shed in the rear of his
home. Reichardt had been ill for
about a year. A son also survives.

Flourishes Revolver at Station.
Travelers in the east waiting
room at Union Station scurried in all
directions at 6 o'clock last night
when a man entered and began

flourishing a revolver. The man,
when arrested, said that he was
Antonio Archer, 46 years old, a
Croatian, of 1553 Wallace street, St.
Louis County. His revolver con-
tained five bullets.

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	1 to 150	000	000	000
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of a test of germicidal strength be-
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The test was made against the bacteria
contained in saliva by a bacteriological
laboratory with an international reputa-
tion. The result would be accepted by
any scientist as incontrovertible.

Saliva from the human mouth is filled
with bacteria or germ life. The strength
of an antiseptic can be determined by the
amount of water that may be added to
it without destroying its ability to render
saliva sterile (kill all germ life).

More reduction of the number of
germs by an antiseptic is of little
value. If a few are left alive they
will multiply at an unthinkable
rate as soon as the effect of the
antiseptic has worn off.

Now examine the table carefully.
In the first column the amount
of water that was added to the
amount of the antiseptic is shown.
For instance, 1 to 100 means one
drop of Zonite to which one hun-
dred drops of water were added.
In the second, third and fourth
columns is shown the number of

germs that were still alive after being ex-
posed to the solution indicated in the first
column for five minutes, fifteen minutes
and thirty minutes, respectively.

The result of the test is as follows: One
drop of Zonite added to 150 drops of
water was applied to millions of bacteria
coated with saliva. In five minutes not
one was left alive. Phenol (pure carbolic
acid) at the same dilution failed to kill all
germs in fifteen minutes.

And now remember this—Zonite can be
applied to a cut or wound absolutely pure.
When taken into the mouth and gargled
in the throat at proper dilution its destruc-
tion of germs is almost instantaneous.

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expose themselves and their
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through the use of such antiseptics,
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every package.



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Markets as Whole Disregard Clash of British and French Opinion Over Reparation —French Bonds Down.

By Leased Wire From the New York Bureau of the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, Aug. 13.—The evening Post today says:

"Perhaps the chief feature of today's markets was the disregard shown for the clash of British and French opinion in the matter of reparation policy. Aside from moderate weakness in French bonds, prices took no notice of the foreign news, the opinion being firm and the tendency being, on the whole, toward strength. In acting in this fashion the markets probably testified to their appreciation of the fact that a European settlement is something which cannot be expected to come quickly but which is nevertheless, inevitable. Total sales on the Stock Exchange failed to pass the 200,000-share mark. Heavy business was transacted to short covering and even though prices fell off somewhat in the afternoon, all that could be said was that the market was irregularly and slightly lower. Call money held at 4 1/2 per cent throughout.

Advance in Wheat.

"Additional strength in wheat was an encouraging factor. Announcement by the Canadian Government that the new crop in that country is estimated at 32,000,000 bushels was the principal factor in creating a better feeling; this figure comparing with the 500,000,000 bushels mentioned in British talk a few weeks ago and with an actual yield last year of 29,000,000 bushels. Coming after our Department of Agriculture's downward revision of the figures for our own crop, the Canadian news was heartening. In any event, the September future closed 1 3/8 cents higher at \$1.01 1/2.

"Cotton prices advanced sharply in the early trading on continuation of the drought in the American South. The October future had reached 24 1/2 cents, however, liquidation appeared and a late price of 24 1/2 cents receded the day's gain to 7 points. Trading in this commodity was active and the magnitude of recent advances evidently made the market susceptible to profit taking.

French Exchange Weak.

"Although our domestic markets paid little attention to the developments in the foreign situation, the latter found a response in the foreign exchange market. French francs were weak, sinking to a new low for all time at 5.53 1/2 cents, at which price the net loss on the day amounted to 1 1/2 points. Belgian francs meanwhile were firm, gaining 2 points at 4.51 1/2 cents, the opposite movement of the two currencies being explained partly on the basis of the reports of a 500,000,000-franc loan from France to Belgium and unconfirmed rumors of an impending Belgian loan at London. Under the circumstances it is hard to apportion the blame for the weakness in French francs between the Belgian loan and the unpromising reparations situation, although a reaction of 1 1/2 points in Italian lire, which fell to 4.35 1/2 cents, gives some clue as to the influence of the reparations matter per se. Sterling held fairly steady at \$4.84 1/2, and the other Europeans were irregular.

Foreign Exchange

NEW YORK, Aug. 13.—Following is a list of quotations today in the foreign exchange market: (D) Demand; (C) Cable; (R) 60-day; (S) 90-day; (F) 120-day; (B) 180-day; (L) 360-day; (M) 540-day; (Y) 720-day; (P) 900-day; (Q) 1080-day; (R) 1260-day; (S) 1440-day; (T) 1620-day; (U) 1800-day; (V) 2160-day; (W) 2520-day; (X) 2880-day; (Y) 3240-day; (Z) 3600-day; (A) 3960-day; (B) 4320-day; (C) 4680-day; (D) 5040-day; (E) 5400-day; (F) 5760-day; (G) 6120-day; (H) 6480-day; (I) 6840-day; (J) 7200-day; (K) 7560-day; (L) 7920-day; (M) 8280-day; (N) 8640-day; (O) 9000-day; (P) 9360-day; (Q) 9720-day; (R) 10080-day; (S) 10440-day; (T) 10800-day; (U) 11160-day; (V) 11520-day; (W) 11880-day; (X) 12240-day; (Y) 12600-day; (Z) 12960-day; (A) 13320-day; (B) 13680-day; (C) 14040-day; (D) 14400-day; (E) 14760-day; (F) 15120-day; (G) 15480-day; (H) 15840-day; (I) 16200-day; (J) 16560-day; (K) 16920-day; (L) 17280-day; (M) 17640-day; (N) 18000-day; (O) 18360-day; (P) 18720-day; (Q) 19080-day; (R) 19440-day; (S) 19800-day; 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FROM NOW ON

By FRANK L. PACKARD

Quick as a lightning flash Dave Henderson dropped to his hands and knees. There was a grunt above him, as though from the swing of a mallet, and then the forward resistance, had overreached itself in mid-air—then the forward lunge of a heavy body, a snarl, an oath, as the bruiser stumbled over Dave Henderson's crouched form—and then a crash, as Dave Henderson grappled, low down at the other's knees, and the man went to the floor. But the other, for all his weight and bulk, was lithe and agile and his arms, flung out, circled and locked around Dave Henderson's neck.

The place was in pandemonium. Feet shuffled; chairs and tables toppled over in the darkness. Shouts, yells and curses made a din infernal. Dave Henderson wrenched and tore at the arms around his neck. He saw it all now—all. The police had trailed him; Baldy Vickers' gang had trailed the police. The bruiser was one of the gang. They had to get rid of the police, in the person of Speen, to cover their own trail again before they got him, Dave Henderson. And they, too, had thought him drunk, and an easy prey. With Speen unconscious from a quarrel that even Speen, when he recovered, would never connect with its real purpose, they meant to kidnap him, Dave Henderson, and get him away in the confusion without any of the innocent bystanders in the place knowing what was going on. That was why the lights had gone off—that man he had seen running around the upper end of the room—he remembered now—the man had come in just behind the bruiser—that accounted for the lights—they wouldn't dare shoot—he had that advantage—dead, he wasn't any good to them—they wanted that—hundred—thousand—dollars.

He was choking. Instead of arms, steel fingers had sunk into his throat. He lunged out with all his strength. His fist met something that, though it yielded slightly, brought a brutal twinge of pain across his knuckles. His fist shot out again, whipped to its mark with everything that was in him behind the blow; and it was the bruiser's face he hit. He hit it again, and over the mad fury that was upon him, he knew an unholy joy as his blows crashed home.

The steel fingers around his throat relaxed and fell away. He staggered to his feet.

A voice from somewhere close at hand spoke hoarsely:

"Scrag him, Mugsy! See that he's knocked cold before we carry him out!"

There was no answer from the floor.

Dave Henderson's lips were no longer twisted in a smile, they were thinned and straight; he knew why there was no answer from the floor. He crouched, gathering himself for a spring. Dark, shadowy forms were crowding in around him. There was only one chance—the door now, the rear door, and the lane! Voices growled and cursed, seemingly almost in his ears. They had him hemmed against the bar without knowing it, as they clustered around the spot where they expected he was being strangled into unconsciousness on the floor.

"Mugsy, d'ye hear! Damn you, d'ye hear! Why don't you—"

Dave Henderson launched himself forward. A wild yell went up. Hands clutched at him, and tore at his clothing, and struck at his face—forms flung themselves at his shoulders, and clung around his legs. He took them off—and gained a few yards. He was fighting like a madman now—and now the darkness was in his favor.

They came on again in a blind rush. The door could not be far away. He stumbled over one of the small tables, recovered himself, and, snatching up the table, whirled it by one of its legs in a sweep around his head. There was a smash of impact that almost knocked the table from his grasp—and, coincidentally, a scream of pain. It cleared a space about him. He swung again, whirling the table around and around his head, gaining impetus—and suddenly sent it catapulting from him full into the shadowy forms in front of him, and, turning, made a dash for the end of the room.

He reached the wall, and groped along it for the door. The door! Where was it? He felt the warm

blood trickling down over his face. He did not remember when that had happened! He could not see—but they would turn on the lights surely now in an instant if they were not fools—and he must find the door first or he was trapped—that was his only chance—the place was a bedlam of hideous riot—curse the blood, it seemed to be running into his eyes now—Runt Mott—if only he could have settled with the skulking—

His fingers touched and felt around the jamb of the open door—and he surged, panting, through the doorway. The short passage ended in another door. He opened this, dashed across it, and hurled himself over the fence into the lane.

The uproar, the yells, the furious shouts from behind him seemed suddenly to increase in volume. He ran the faster. They had turned the lights on—and found him gone! From somewhere in the direction of the street there came the shrill cheep-cheep of a patrolman's whistle. Yes, he quite understood that, too—there would be a riot call pulled in a minute, but that made little difference to him. It was the gangsters, who were now probably pouring out of the saloon's back door in pursuit of him, with whom he had to reckon. But he should be safe now—he was abreast of Capriano's house, which he could distinguish even in the darkness because the extension stuck out like some great, black looming shadow from the row of other houses.

There was a gate here somewhere or a door in the fence, undoubtedly; but he had no time to hunt for gate or door, perhaps only to find it locked! The fence was quicker and easier. He swung himself up, and over—and, scarcely a yard away, found himself confronted with what looked like an enclosed porch or vestibule to the Italian's back door.

He was quick now, but equally silent in his movements. From the direction of the saloon, shouts reached him, the voices no longer muffled, but as though they were out in the open—in the back yard of the saloon perhaps, or perhaps by now in the lane itself. He stepped inside the porch and knocked softly on the door. He knocked again and again. It seemed as though the seconds dragged themselves out into immeasurable periods of time. He swept the blood out of his eyes once more, and, his ears strained laneward, continued to knock insistently, louder and louder.

A light footstep, hurried, sounded from within. It halted on the other side of the closed door. He had a feeling that somehow, even through that closed door, and even in the darkness, he was under inspection. The next instant he was sure of it. Above his head a small incandescent bulb suddenly flooded the porch with light, and fell full upon him as he stood there, a ghastly object, he realized, with blood-stained face, and torn and disheveled clothes.

From behind the closed door came a girl's startled gasp of dismay and alarm; from up the lane now unmistakably came the pound of racing feet.

"Quick!" whispered Dave Henderson, hoarsely. "I'm from Tony Lomazzi. For God's sake, put out that light!"

Sanctuary:

THE light in the porch went out. From within, as though with slow, dubious hesitation, a key turned in the lock. The door opened slightly, and from a dark interior the girl's voice reached Dave Henderson again.

"Tony Lomazzi sent you, you say?" she exclaimed in a puzzled way; and then, a sudden apprehension in her voice: "You are all covered with blood—what is the matter? What do you want?"

From the lane, the sound of pounding, racing feet seemed almost opposite the Italian's porch now. Dave Henderson, without ceremony, pushed at the door. It yielded, as the girl evidently retreated backward abruptly, and he stepped inside, closed the door softly behind him, and, feeling for the key, turned it swiftly in the lock. He could see nothing, but out of the darkness near him came a sharp, quick-drawn intake of breath.

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Thelma Morgan Converse in Final Article Tells of Life in the American Divorce Colony in Paris and Explains Working of French Courts.

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Twin Sister of Mrs. Reginald C. Vanderbilt.

CHAPTER VII.

IN the swaggy Trocadero section of Paris, out where the Eiffel Tower lifts its gleaming needle from the Champs de Mars, is a fashionable apartment building known to members of the American colony as "Divorce Court." The reason for the nickname is simple. I had a suite at "Divorce Court" last winter, and I discovered that every other tenant, all American women, either was a divorcee or was waiting for a divorce.

Primarily, I was in Paris to get away from another feverish winter in New York society, to try to find again the happy girl I was before my disastrous marriage, plus the swift pace of the "circus set," made me at 17 a disillusioned, disenchanted woman. But, along with my yearning for rest, brooded another purpose—to learn all about the easy way, of which I had heard so much, one procured a Paris divorce.

I must confess I got more information than rest. Life in the smart American colony of Paris, as I shall show here, is merely a replica in a French setting of the Jazz-bohemia of New York. As a resident of "Divorce Court" I followed the band from the boulevards to the Bois and saw the dawn crack almost nightly over Montmartre. But I did watch the wheels turn in the Paris divorce mill. And that operation I shall show here, too.

Among New York society women—and I suppose they more or less reflect the interests of all American women—there are two major topics of discussion just now. One is the Steinhilber rejuvenation operation described by Mrs. Gertrude Atherton in her latest novel. I mention it only to remark that most women I know, however young, are secretly resolved to visit Vienna some day. The other stock subject of conversation is Paris divorces.

Even among women who can qualify as happily married there is a keen curiosity to know exactly how long it would take them to win their freedom, and exactly what they would have to do to get it. In the event friend husband turned out-up or brute or fell in love with another woman, or in case the wife herself fell in love with another man. All wives, I believe, dally with the notion of divorce at some time; it is romantic, rather than sinister, to them.

I, like many others, looked on Paris as another Reno, but I didn't realize how prevalent this viewpoint had become until I returned from my last trip abroad and met on all sides, "Oh, my dear! Do tell us about the French divorce laws! Is it true you don't have to prove even incompatibility?"

I was amazed, for I had confided in my unhappiness to no one. But that is all society needs now to start chatter—a married woman in Paris without her husband! Witness, last summer, the gossip about Helen Astor and Vincent Astor. Not until he joined her in Paris would anyone believe they were not separated. Or, only the other day, the case of Julia Hoyt, who had no more than landed in France before the correspondents, with no other evidence, predicted her divorce from Lydig Hoyt!

Of course, there is excellent cause for regarding Paris in this light, for divorces in France actually have doubled in number since the war—in 1913 there were 15,372 and in 1922 the figures were 30,753—and American society has had its share in boosting the total. A glance at the record proves that.

In the last 12 months, for example, divorces were granted in Paris to Mrs. Caroline Morton Potter from William C. Potter, president of the Guaranty Trust Co.; to Mrs. Mildred Gautier Rice Newton from Richard Newton, the artist; to Mrs. Angela de Acosta Sewall, sister of Mrs. Rita de Acosta Lydig, from William Gilman Sewall; to Ganna Walska, the present Mrs. Harold McCormick, from Alexander Smith Cochran; to Mary Terry from James Taylor Terry; to Princess Viora, formerly Mrs. Helen Kelly Gould, from Prince Viora; to Mar-

garet Preston Draper from Prince Andrea Boncompagni; to Coralie Coudert Erskine from Harold Edskine, the big game hunter; to Thyra Flagg from Montague Flagg, the architect; to Elizabeth Harding Prince from Freddie



Mrs. Vincent Astor, a Famous Belle Who Was Helen Huntington

Prince, the sportsman; to Gladys Brooks Thayer from Eugene Thayer, the banker; to—

But the list could be lengthened to treble and quadruple that number. And these are only the "prominents." More than one Paris divorce is granted which, because the parties to it are not widely known, is never carried to the American newspapers and some on account of the great secrecy thrown around the proceedings, are never dug up by the reporters.

It is the secrecy, of course, which makes the Paris divorce so attractive to the American society man and society woman. That and the liberal laws. Reno had the latter, but Paris divorces were broadcast to the world. The proceedings in the French courts are curtailed more effectively than a meeting of the board of directors of the United States Steel Corporation.

Let me be explicit. When I arrived in Paris in January and got my suite in "Divorce Court," I found plenty of friends there. Mrs. Benjamin Thaw Jr., then the Countess de Maupas, was waiting for her final decree separating her from the Count. Mrs. Eugene



A Striking Photograph of Mrs. Thelma Morgan Converse, Whose Sister, the Former Countess de Maupas, Divorced the Count in Paris.



Vincent Astor, "Richest Young Man in America," at the Annual Yale-Harvard Boat Race.

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"It is simplicity itself," the others told us. "First, you must establish a residence" in Paris. Nothing could be easier. You merely must be able to swear that you maintain an apartment here. Living three months at a hotel is sufficient. You are considered a bona fide resident of France, and are entitled to "marital redress" in the French courts. Then you get your lawyer, if you haven't him already, and go ahead with the suit.

"But suppose you haven't any serious grounds?" I objected. "Suppose you are simply unhappy?"

"Oh, that's no bother! There are three general grounds for divorce in France. Infidelity is one, just as in New York State. Another is where the husband or wife has been sentenced to some 'degrading punishment.' The third is the joker—they give you a divorce for 'violence, cruelty or gross insult.'"

"Get the idea? Why, almost anything can be a 'gross insult'—a slammed door or a huffy look. There never was a wife who didn't feel her husband had 'grossly insulted' her at some time or another. The favorite 'gross insult' is when he refuses to live with you.

Nine-tenths of all Paris divorces are granted on that charge."

"Why is that?" I asked. "Because it saves so much time and trouble. If your husband agrees to a divorce and is willing to speed it along, the thing to do is to have him run over to Paris for a few days. You establish residence at one hotel. He lives at another. He has to be served with the papers, you see. If he's on the ground, the gendarme—or whoever has the job—trots around and serves him with a formal demand to 'resume marriage.' He refuses. Ninety days later, if he still hasn't returned to his wife, the divorce becomes automatic. In the meantime he has gone back to the States, and you linger in Paris to get your final papers. You don't even have to go to court. Your lawyer looks after all that for you."

That explained a great many things to me. I had often wondered, when I read about some divorce suit, why so frequently both husband and wife were in Paris. It seemed to me they would want to be as far away from one another as possible. But now I saw a light.

"And the newspapers don't report the proceedings?" I inquired. They laughed at me. "Generally, there are no proceedings to re-

Mrs. Mary Terry, Who Secured a Paris Divorce from Her Wealthy Husband, James Taylor Terry

port, and if there is any sort of trial the reporters don't know it. The presidents of the Seine tribunals have issued circulars prohibiting all court employes from giving information about divorces to anyone but the lawyers concerned, and then only by special permission. No details are ever made public until the decree is handed down for registry. That takes months sometimes, and you've secured your divorce and are back in America before the news is published."

"But isn't it rather dull waiting around Paris for your final decree?" was my last question. "You don't have to wait! You can return to America and then come back for it in three months. But, dull? My dear, listen—"

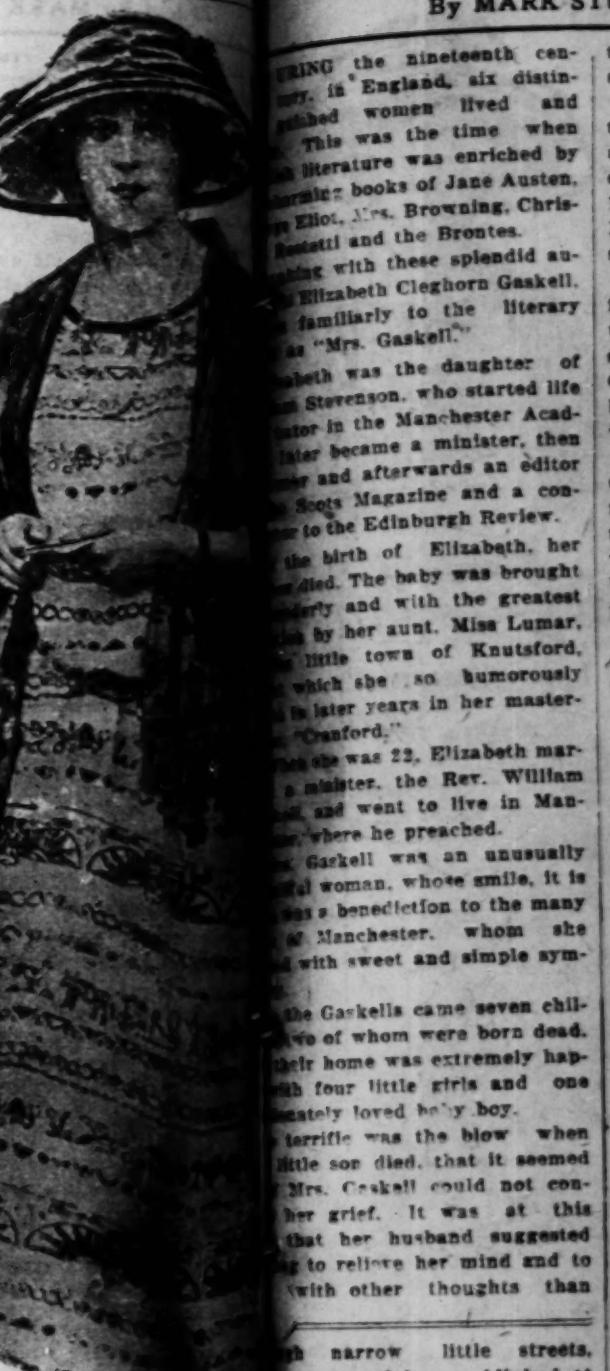
What I heard about the night life of Paris was confirmed by my own experience in the weeks that followed. I had supposed that nothing could be whizzier than the winter season in New York; but, compared to Paris, the frolics of the "circus set" of Manhattan are children's games.

Paris is swarming with rich and restless Americans. Many have become expatriates or, like Mrs. Benjamin Thaw, maintain a Paris residence in addition to their American homes and spend 80 per cent of their time abroad. Then there is the considerable "divorce division," planning to sue or establishing residence or waiting for decrees. And always the class teems with tourists of every class from multimillionaires to school teachers "doing Europe" in 30 days via Cook's.

Such a conglomeration, coupled with that feeling which seems to imbue all Americans as soon as they get out of their own country, breaks down social barriers and melts most of the usual conventions. Thus, outside of the comparative few who are admitted to the circles of the old French aristocracy, Americans in Paris are about as exclusive as the rooters at a baseball game. And not nearly so careful in what they do and say.

There was the New York dowager who, at home, is so haughty that an invitation to her famous balls is as gilt-edged as a passport into the "400," but who, in Paris, included among her favorite guests a Russian dancer, to whom she would not have bowed on Fifth avenue.

There was another—her name is synonymous with enormous wealth and the prestige of blue blood—who never missed a student's dance



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BURGESS BEDTIME STORIES
By Thornton W. Burgess.

I want to make this very clear:
He little knows who knows not fear.

—Old Mother Nature.

LITTLE folks who are running away generally think of but one thing, and that one thing, is getting away. It was just that way with the disobedient young Chuck scampering up the Long Lane toward Farmer Brown's. The only thing he could think of was getting as far as he could before his mother, Polly Chuck, should discover that he had run away. So as he ran he didn't give danger a thought. The only use he made of his eyes was to see where he was going, and now and then look back to see if his mother was coming after him.

Had his father or mother been in his place they would have seen Redtail the Hawk high up in the blue, blue sky. They would have seen him because they would have been watching for him. But the young runaway didn't once look up in the sky. It is doubtful that had he seen Redtail he would have had sense enough to hide. More than once he had seen Redtail when his mother had sent him, together with his brothers and sisters, down into their home, to be safe. But always Redtail had been so high up in the blue, blue sky that he had looked very small and nothing to be afraid of at all.

The young Chucks had talked about it more than once. "Mother is silly," this particular young Chuck had said. "She is afraid of nothing. How could that fellow way up there in the blue, blue sky hurt us? I don't believe in being afraid until I see something to be really afraid of. Such a fraidy as mother is!"

His brothers and sisters had been inclined to agree with him. They listened to all that their mother told them about the dangers of the Great World, but inside they laughed at her. You see they had been too safe. It would have been a good thing to have had some real dangers to frighten them, while their mother, Polly Chuck, was about to show them what to do. In this way they would really have learned.

So as the runaway Chuck scam-

pered up the Long Lane no thought of danger entered his head. He was getting tired. You know he was

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It was a lucky thing for that young Chuck that he decided to do this just when he did. Had he waited half a minute longer, this story would have had quite a different ending. He saw a little opening and turned into it. Just as he did go there was a terrible sound. It was the wind whistling through the stiff wing feathers of Redtail the Hawk as he checked himself so as not to strike the ground. You see he had swooped down from high up in the sky just a second too late.

The young Chuck caught a glimpse of fierce eyes, terrible claws, an awful hooked bill, and great wings just as he ran under a thick bush. He hadn't dreamed that there could be such a terrible sight. He dropped down flat right where he was, and it was a lucky thing for him that he was under a thick bush. There was a scream of anger and disappointment, and this added to his fright, if that were possible. He had received his first great lesson—the lesson of fear.

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In the United States the average life of a woman is 57.41 years.

FORWARD STEPS IN STYLES
By Margery Wells.

THE girls who bought those tight, wrappy coats so gaily and so early in the spring made the big mistake that lies in wait for those who do not consider forward steps in style.

I saw one of them yesterday. She wore a coat, the springtime price of which I knew well. It was vastly expensive. And yet that young lady looked, handsome as was the material in her wrap and beautiful as it was in color, distinctly out of the picture as far as fashion was concerned—distinctly passe. It was too tight; it was too long; it was wrapped in just the wrong way. She had bought the thing which was ultra smart and accepted by everyone at the moment of buying. Hence its life was shortened and her appearance endangered.

This girl may not have known that her appearance was just all wrong. But something inside of her knew it. She was bound to feel a kick somewhere from that unfitting regalia. And just a trifle of thought, just a wee bit of education, had she possessed it at the time of purchase, would have helped her to buy a coat that would have been good then, better now and faithful in style unto the day of its death. The wrapped coats were ahead of the fashion game as long ago as the beginning of last winter, but by the time spring came they had been almost overdone, and by the time spring was well upon its way they had had their death knell sounded. Any one with an eye for style, with a fashion sense or with an education on the subject of smart attire could have foreseen that almost instinctively. And the manufacturer of the style of the moment would never have been able to fondle her money.

Now this girl needed a new coat and the year's account will show items for two coats where it should, in all common sense, have showed but one.

Let's consider the coats for the season to come. They can't be exact-

ly like the ones which have lived today. That we have proved by the foregoing remarks. They will differ in some ways and remain like the older ones in some other ways. But it looks very much as though the three-quarter coat will have a lot to say in the development of style. I say it looks so because no one can tell certainly just now. One can only use one's thinking apparatus and make a guess. But here we have a coat of these proportions—one that seems to have all of the elements of style that is with us now. Moreover, it is one designed by a Frenchman, and he is of the race that knows these style matters instinctively.

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